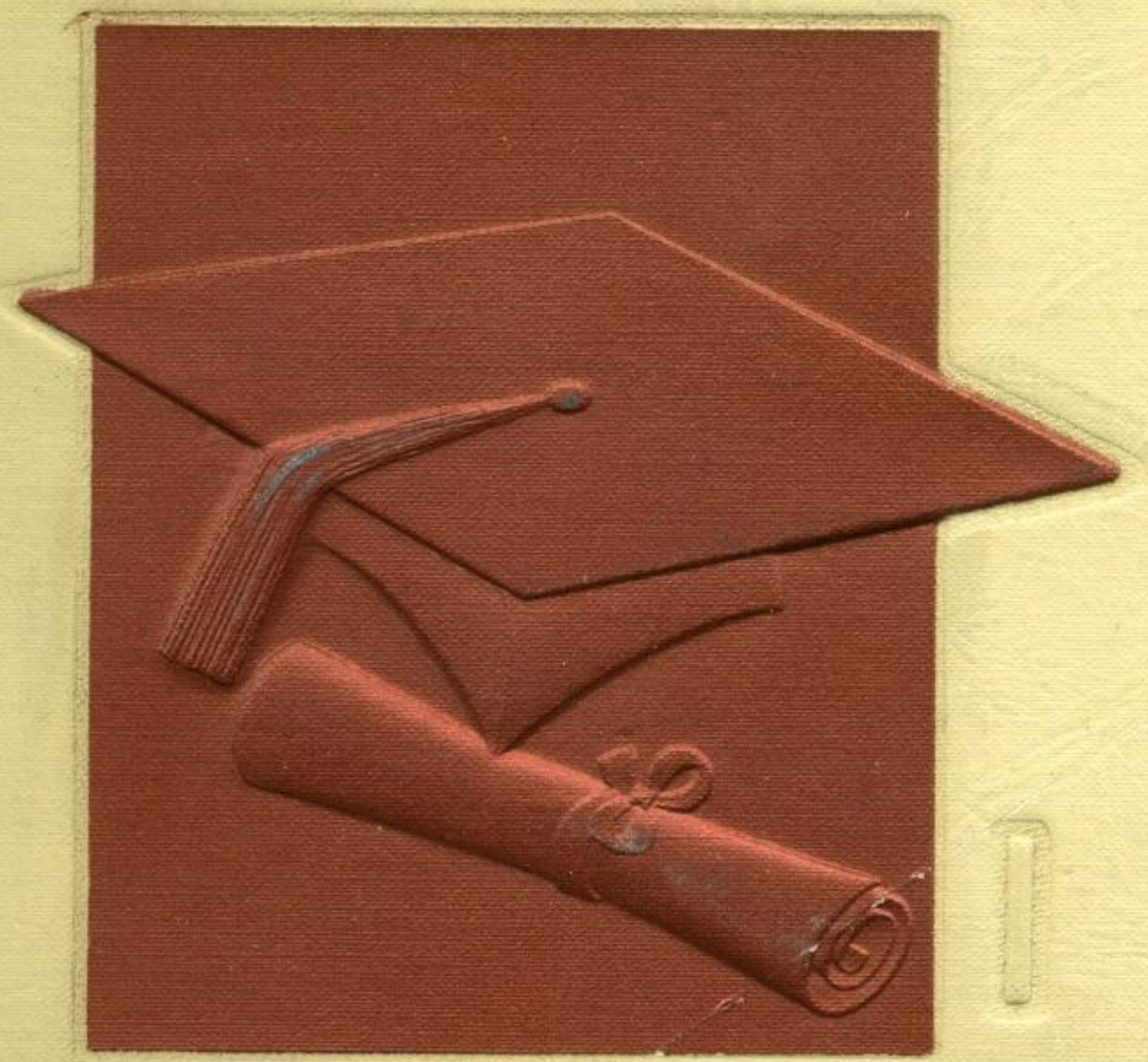

1954

# SUMARIAN

# FOREWORD

Memories fade and grow dim with age. For this reason we, the Senior Class of 1954, have made this annual with the hope that it will bring back many pleasant memories.

# Dedication

1954 marks the 100th year of our town's history. It is, indeed, then an honor to be a member of the graduating class of 1954 of Sumner Township High School in this centennial year. We, therefore, the Seniors of 1954 are especially proud to dedicate this milestone annual to our beloved sponsor, Miss Fern Henry. We think of a centennial year as proof of an enduring thing and likewise, we know will be enduring in our lives the faith in ourselves you have inspired, the hope you have kindled within us to face a somewhat confused world, and the love you have showered upon us to ever enrich and bless our lives.

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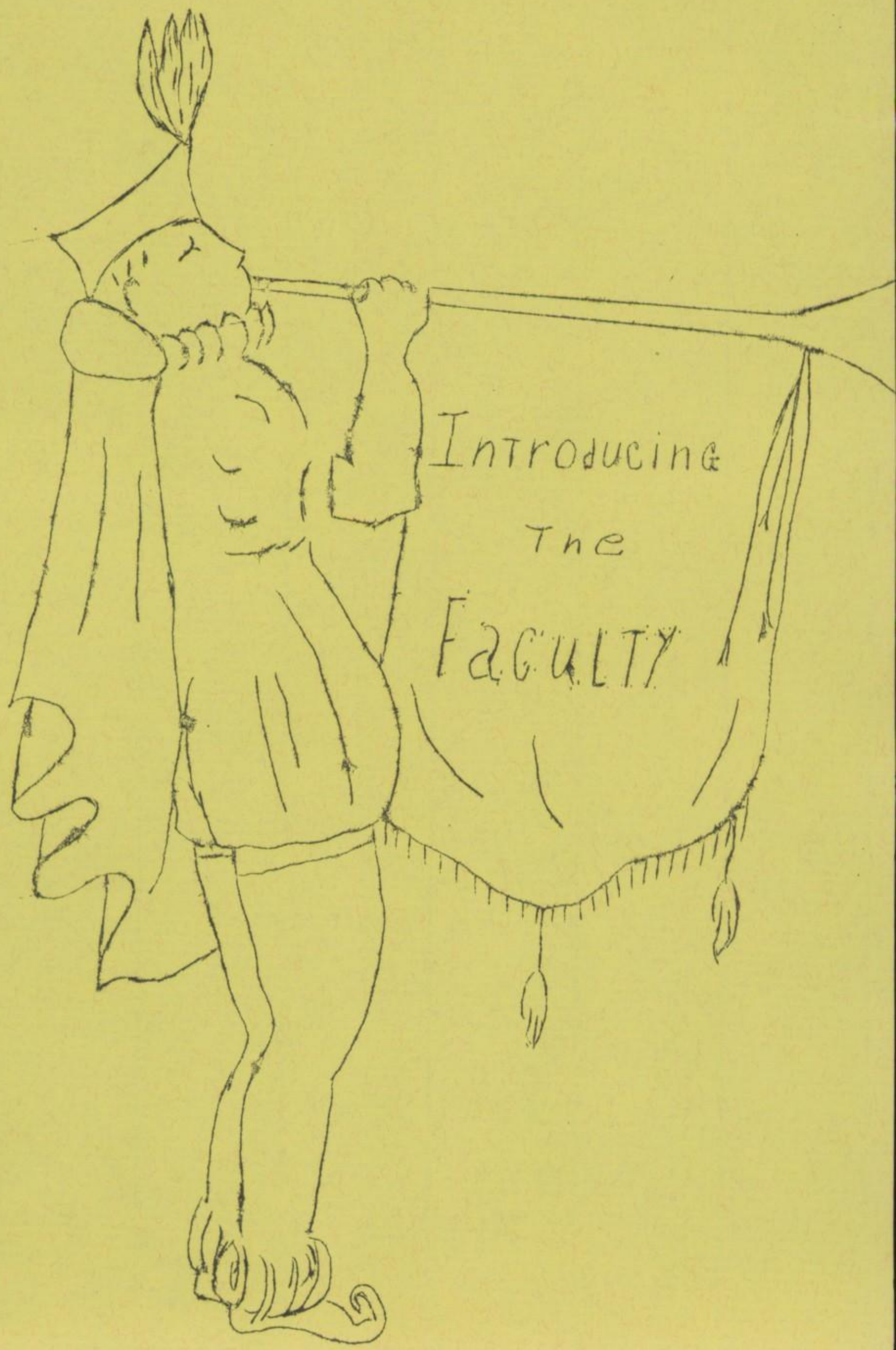
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# Babies of the Faculty

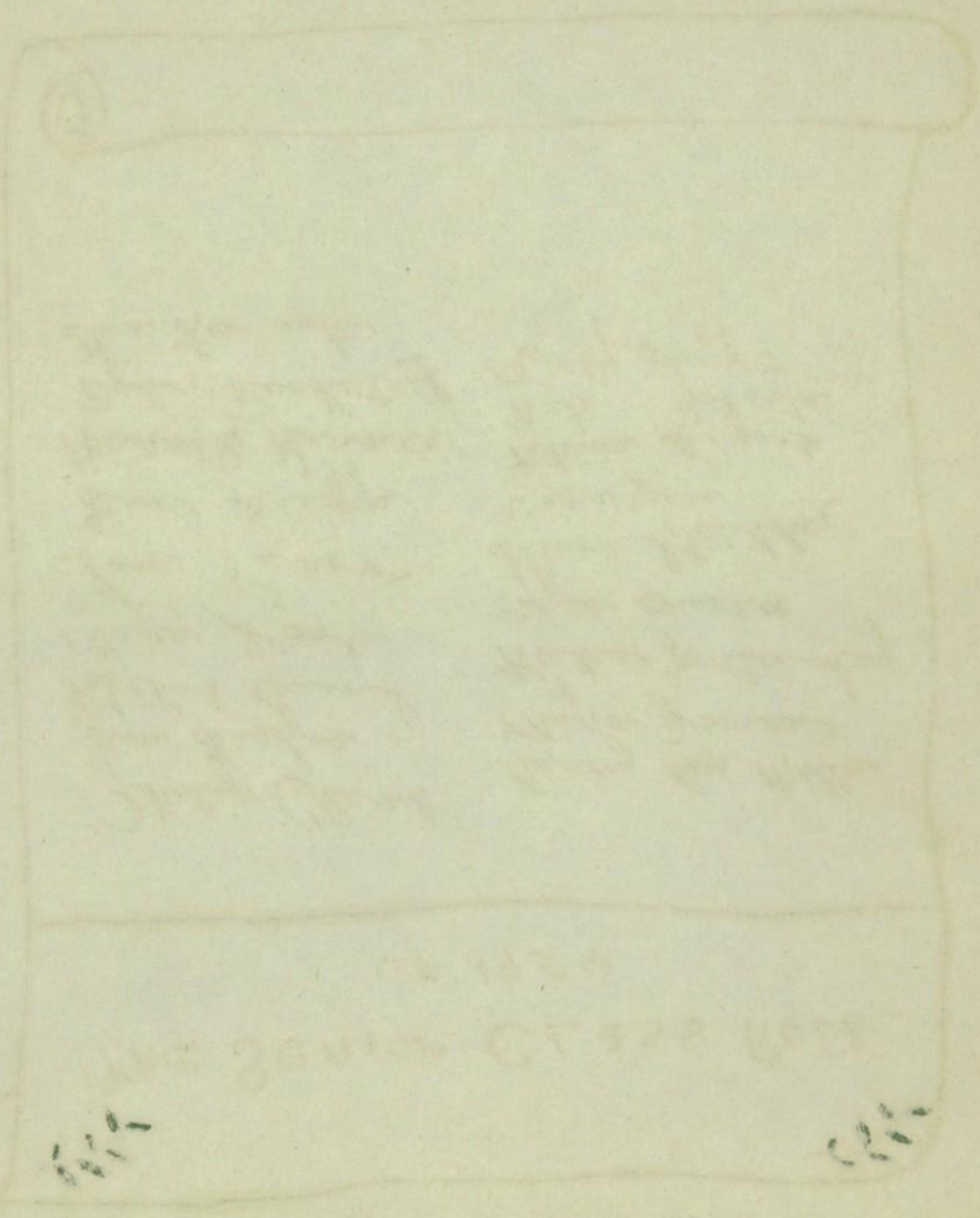
| NAME | FAVORITE HOLIDAY | FAVORITE PASTIME | PET PEEVE |
|---|---|---|---|
| Mr. Higgins | 4th of July | Feeding Angus | Hooky Players |
| Mr. Courtright | Labor Day | Crossword Puzzles | Disguising plain Englis |
| Mr. Weas | Valentine Day | Caring for the twins | Unruly "kids" |
| Mr. Griesemer | Summer Vacation | Reading | Tommy Sharrett |
| Miss Grimm | Easter | Planning Operattas | Unmusical people |
| Miss Henry | Easter | Making annuals | Quitters |
| Miss Lawhun | Halloween | Bird haunting | Lazy people |
| Mrs. Dorney | Thanksgiving | Walking in the woods | Untruthful people |
| Mrs. Schweizer | Christmas | Cooking | Study halls. |

Seniors

# The Senior Class Roll
## of 1954

Philip Clark
Jim Fisher
Gilbert Heimel
Jerry Poole
Tom Perry
Don Scaggs
Harold Horner
Bob Pinkstaff
Gene Lancaster

Nancy Kay Miller
Myra Jones
Katie Jo Beasley
Phyllis Frohlett
Gene Gaither
Doris Jones
Patricia Angart
Helen Roberts
Kathy Furgit



# SUMNER HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS - 1954

Philip Clark, co-ed

Myra Jones, co-ed

Jim Fisher, PRESIDENT

Gilbert Deimel, VICE PRESIDENT

Tommy Perrott, SEC.-TREAS.

Bob Pinkstaff

Phyllis Knoblett

Katie Beasley

Terry Poole

Don Scaggs

Nancy Kay Miller

Helen Roberts

Kathy Burget

Paul E. Lancaster

Patricia Inyart

Doris Jones

Harold Horner

Nene Gaither

Betty Thomas

# Senior Class History

Thirty-one freshmen enrolled in Sumner High School on Sept. 4, 1950. All were interested in getting a better education. The class was made up of graduates from Sumner and several of the surrounding country schools.

Soon all became acquainted and found their places in classes and all other activities. During the year our enrollment was decreased two, but later gained one leaving thirty-one at the close of school.

The annual class party was held at Beal's skating rink at Olney.

Nancy Ray Miller and Gilbert Deimel represented our class on the student council.

The class officers elected were:

President----------Gilbert Deimel
Vice President----------Jimmie Fisher
Sec. & Treasurer----------Nancy Ray Miller
Reporter----------Myra Jones
Class Advisor----------Mr. Courtright

When school began the sophomore year, the enrollment had decreased to twenty-five students.

Again the class party was the Olney skating rink.

This year the team captured third place in the Midland Trail Conference Freshman-Sophomore Tourney.

We lost one member during the year.

The class officers elected were:

President----------Gilbert Deimel
Vice President----------Tom Perrott
Sec. & Treasurer----------Nancy Ray Miller
Class Advisors----------Mrs. Dorney
Miss Henry

Twenty-two juniors enrolled in Sumner High to start the 1952-53 year.

Early in the fall a magazine drive was conducted, in which Philip Clark was high salesman and Katie Beasley second.

The class play, "The Whole Truth", was presented Friday night, April 17.

In May the juniors were hosts to the seniors at the Junior-Senior Banquet.

During the year we lost three members and gained one.

The annual social event was at the Olney skating rink. On the way home the class stopped at Mike's for refreshments.

The class officers were:
President----------Jimmie Fisher
Vice President----------Tom Perrott
Sec. & Treasurer----------Terry Poole
Class Advisors----------Mrs. Dorney
Miss Henry

Nineteen seniors returned to dear old Sumner High for the final year. Our number decreased one during the summer.

On April 13 the class held its annual party. To this social affair members of the class were entitled to invite a guest. The recreation was held in the study hall. During the evening a variety of entertainment was offered: some parlor games, social dancing, card games, checkers, and group singing.

After an Hours follity, the committee invited the guests and other seniors to the home economics room where one long table had been previously prepared with cut flowers and pastel colored Easter egg place cards. The food consisted of ham salad and tuna fish sandwitches, baked beans, potato salad, fruit jello, and a variety of home made cookies. The drink was iced tea.

Not until the dishes were washed and all properties put in order was the party declared adjourned. Thus ended a new chapter in class parties for the Sumner High School.

This year held a host of activities. Again a magazine drive was conducted in which Philip Clark was again high salesman followed by Jimmie Fisher. The senior play, "Maid of Money" was presented Oct. 25. At the Halloween Carnival the seniors held an auction sale and Blue Beard's House. A show was sponsored at the Idaho Theater to help raise money for the trip. Sixteen seniors attended Senior Day at E. I. S. T. C. April 29.

After spending most of the year planning to go to Washington, a compromise was made to go to Chicago. The trip proved very successful. Seventeen out of eighteen seniors enjoyed the trip. Miss Henry and Mr. Higgins went as chaperons.

Class officers elected were:

President----------Jimmie Fisher
Vice President----------Gilbert Deimel
Sec. & Treasurer----------Tom Perrott
Class Advisors----------Mrs. Dorney
Miss Henry

FEATURES

Katie Jo Beasley

Born----------Vincennes, Indiana--June 12, 1936
Nickname----------"Kate"
Prized Possession--"Charlie Chevy"
By Word----------"No Lie?"
Pet Peeve----------Conceited people
Where found---------At home
Why----------That's where I live
Favorite Pastime---Going with the kids
Favorite Song------"Dragnet"
Ambition----------College
Plans for future---Housewife with twins

Bonnie Kathleen Burget

Born----------Claremont, Illinois--June 5, 1936
Nickname----------"Kate"
Prized Possession--Class Ring
By Word----------"Gosh"
Pet Peeve----------Miss Lawhun
Where found---------Back of Tom's
Why----------That's where she stays
Favorite Pastime---Working
Favorite Song------"Train of Love"
Ambition----------Secretary
Plans for future---Work

Philip Ezra Clark

Born----------Lawrenceville, Illinois--March 23, 1936
Nickname----------"Phil"
Prized Possession--Horse
By Word----------"Golly"
Pet Peeve----------Unreliable people
Where found---------School
Why----------Working on the annual
Favorite Pastime---Reading books
Favorite Song------"It is no Secret"
Ambition----------Teacher
Plans for future---College

Gilbert Franklin Deimel

Born----------Olney, Illinois--Sept. 7, 1935
Nickname----------"Gib"
Prized Possession-Horse
By Word----------"Heck"
Pet Peeve----------Unco-operative people
Where found-------Krogers
Why----------Working
Favorite Pastime--Reading
Favorite Song-----"You, You, You"
Ambition----------Teacher
Plans for future--College

Jimmie Gerald Fisher

Born----------Flat Rock, Illinois--Nov, 28, 1936
Nickname----------"Shorty"
Prized Possession-Hat
By Word----------"Shrewd"
Pet Peeve----------Basketball opponets
Where found-------Up town
Why----------Work to do at home
Favorite Pastime--Loafing
Favorite Song-----"From Rags to Riches"
Ambition----------Engineering
Plans for future--College

Vickie Ilene Gaither

Born----------Bridgeport, Illinois--May 20, 1934
Nickname----------"Vide"
Prized Possession-Watch
By Word----------"Shoot"
Pet Peeve----------Math
Where found-------Home
Why----------I live there
Favorite Pastime--Studying
Favorite Song-----"Where we will never grow Old"
Ambition----------Housewife
Plans for future--College

Harold Edward Horner

Born----------Lawrence County--August 1, 1936
Nickname----------"Blackie"
Prized Possession-Class Ring
By Word----------"I don't know"
Pet Peeve----------Studying
Where found-------Home
Why----------I haven't got a car
Favorite Pastime--Reading
Favorite Song-----"Blackberry Boogie"
Ambition----------Farmer

Patricia Ann Inyart
Born----------Lawrence Co., Illinois--Feb. 7, 1937
Nickname----------"Pat"
Prized Possession--Class Ring
By Word----------"Shoot"
Pet Peeve----------Latin
Where found---------Home
Why----------Because I don't have anyplace to go
Favorite Pastime---Playing piano
Favorite Song------"I'm Happy Now"
Ambition----------Working in telephone office
Plans for future---Music teacher

Doris Irene Jones
Born----------Sumner, Illinois--Nov. 17, 1936
Nickname----------"Doris"
Prized Possession--Curley Hair
By Word----------"Good Heavens"
Pet Peeve----------Typing II
Where found---------Home
Why----------Good place to be
Favorite Pastime---Reading
Favorite Song------"You, You, You"
Ambition----------Teacher
Plans for future---Work

Myra Joanne Jones
Born----------Claremont, Illinois--Sept. 20, 1936
Nickname----------"Jo"
Prized Possession--Class Ring
By Word----------"Gee, I don't know"
Pet Peeve----------Boys who act dumb
Where found---------Tom's Ice Cream Parlor
Why----------She works there
Favorite Pastime---Reading
Favorite Song------"Answer Me"
Ambition----------Secretary
Plans for future---Work

Phyllis Jean Knoblett
Born----------Palestine, Illinois--August 27, 1936
Nickname----------"Jeannie"
Prized Possession--Class Ring
By Word----------"Good Heavens"
Pet Peeve----------Girls who smoke
Where found---------Home
Why----------Working
Favorite Pastime---Reading
Favorite Song------"I Believe"
Ambition----------Nursing
Plans for future---Nursing

Paul Eugene Lancaster
Born----------Sumner, Illinois--June 28, 1935
Nickname----------"Gene"
Prized Possession--Pat
By Word----------"No Kidding"
Pet Peeve----------Donna Jones
Where found---------Pat's house
Why----------Good place to be
Favorite Pastime---Hunting
Favorite Song------"Patricia"
Ambition----------Construction engineer
Plans for future---Work of Construction

Nancy Ray Miller
Born----------Vincennes, Indiana--March 7, 1937
Nickname----------"Nano"
Prized Possession--Naturally curley hair
By Word----------"O Dear"
Pet Peeve----------Snobs
Where found---------Home
Why----------No place to go
Favorite Pastime---Reading good books
Favorite Song------"Secret Love"
Ambition----------Teacher
Plans for future---Job

Charles Thomas Perrott
Born----------Sumner, Illinois--July 1, 1936
Nickname----------"Pid"
Prized Possession--Class Ring
By Word----------"Shucks"
Pet Peeve----------Women
Where found---------Home
Why----------Easiest place to be
Favorite Pastime---Loafing
Favorite Song------"Set Um Up Joe"
Ambition----------Coaching
Plans for future---College

George Robert Pinkstaff
Born----------Denison Township--Sept. 8, 1936
Nickname----------"Pinkie"
Prized Possession--Car
By Word----------"Heck"
Pet Peeve----------Women
Where found---------Home
Why----------Best Place to be
Favorite Pastime---Basketball
Favorite Song------"You, You, You"
Ambition----------Coach
Plans for future---College

Roger Terrell Poole
Born----------Sumner, Illinois--September 25, 1936
Nickname----------"Terry"
Prized Possession-Green Chevy
By Word----------"Beats me"
Pet Peeve---------Lying Women
Where found-------Stout's
Why---------------Karen's there
Favorite Song-----"To Long"
Favorite Pastime--Watching T. V.
Ambition----------Coach
Plans for future--College

Helen Ruth Roberts
Born----------Sumner, Illinois--April 30, 1935
Nickname----------"Helen"
Prized Possession-Height
By Word----------"Oh, my lands"
Pet Peeve---------Typing II
Where found-------Home
Why---------------There's no place else to go
Favorite Song-----"Oh"
Favorite Pastime--Listening to the radio
Ambition----------Typist
Plans for future--Secretary

Donald Martin Scaggs
Born----------Sumner, Illinois--June 20, 1935.
Nickname----------"Wilbur"
Prized Possession-Car
By Word----------"Heavens to betsy"
Pet Peeve---------Nosey people
Where found-------Up town
Why---------------Looking for something to do
Favorite Song-----"Oh"
Favorite Pastime--Playing basketball
Ambition----------Work
Plans for future--Get a job

Betty Thomas
Born----------Bridgeport, Illinois--
Nickname----------"Bet"
Prized Possession-Car
By Word----------"Shucks"
Pet Peeve---------Muddy lanes
Where found-------Home
Why---------------Listening to Webb Pierce
Favorite Song-----"When the Moon Comes Over the Mountain"
Favorite Pastime--Listening to the radio
Ambition----------Singer
Plans for future--Work

## Senior Chief Characteristics

Katie Jo Beasley----------drawing pictures

Kathy Burget----------long blond hair

Philip Clark----------left handedness

Gilbert Deimel----------neatness

Jim Fisher----------shortness in height

Ilene Gaither----------talkative personality

Harold Horner----------dark complection

Patricia Inyart----------musical ability

Doris Jones----------notebook writing

Myra Jones----------friendliness

Phyllis Knoblett----------smiles

Gene Lancaster----------beard

Nancy Ray Miller----------curly hair

Tom Perrott----------moustache

Bob Pinkstaff----------burr hair cut

Terry Poole----------good nature

Helen Roberts----------demure and shy

Don Scaggs----------loveableness

Betty Thomas----------friendliness

# THE OSCAR PAGE

MOST COURTEOUS----------PHILIP CLARK---DORIS JONES

DYNAMITE----------HAROLD HORNER--MYRA JONES

SCHOOL CUT-UPS----------BOB PINKSTAFF--MYRA JONES

FLIRTS----------JIM FISHER-----KATHY BURGET

MOST TALKATIVE----------PHILIP CLARK---PATRICIA INYART

SHYEST----------HAROLD HORNER--HELEN ROBERTS

MOST SOPHISTICATED------GILBERT DEIMEL-NANCY MILLER

MOST ATHLETIC----------JIM FISHER-----MYRA JONES

BEST ALL AROUND---------TOM PERROTT----KATIE BEASLEY

MOST MUSICAL----------GILBERT DEIMEL-KATIE BEASLEY

MOST INDUSTRIOUS--------PHILIP CLARK---DORIS JONES

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED--GILBERT DEIMEL-KATIE BEASLEY

BEST GROOMED----------TERRY POOLE----NANCY MILLER

FRIENDLIEST----------JIM FISHER-----PHYLLIS KNOBLETT

MOST STUDIOUS----------BOB PINKSTAFF--NANCY MILLER

| SENIORS | ASSETS | LIABILITIES |
|---|---|---|
| Katie Jo Beasley | art | plane geometry |
| Kathy Burget | complexion | working at Tom's |
| Philip Clark | editor of annual | too conscientious |
| Gilbert Deimel | intelligence | stubbornessss |
| Jim Fisher | likeable | his height |
| Ilene Gaither | good worker | living on a farm |
| Harold Horner | narcisis curls | Spanish accent |
| Patricia Inyart | piano playing | teasing people |
| Doris Jones | demureness | shyness |
| Myra Jones | friendliness | contrariness |
| Phyllis Knoblett | slimness | "diamond" ring |
| Gene Lancaster | prize calf | Pat |
| Nancy Ray Miller | language expert | dates (history) |
| Tom Perrott | our high point man | moustache |
| Bob Pinkstaff | "A" rating | flirting |
| Terry Poole | burr haircut | brother Jerry |
| Helen Roberts | neatness | quietness |
| Don Scaggs | car | LOVE |
| Betty Thomas | smiles | hill-billy singing |

# SENIOR ACTIVITIES

Katie Beasley-----Katie is a studious lass,
She's a member of our class.

Librarian 3, 4-Band 2, 3, 4,-Chorus 3, 4-
Summarian 3, 4-Clarinet quartet 4-Pep Club 4.

Kathy Burget------She's kind and sweet,
Really the girl you'd like to meet.

F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4-"The Whole Truth" 3,-
"Maid of Money" 4,-Summarian 4,-Mixed Chorus 1.

Philip Clark------He has a very dark complexion,
Anything he does is really to perfection.

Wit and Wisdom 1,-Basketball 1, 2, 3,-Summarian
4,-Band 1, 2, 3,-Chorus 1, 2-"The Whole Truth"
-3, "Maid of Money"- 4.

Gilbert Deimel----He's very kind and good indeed,
He'll help you in your every need.

Class President 1, 2-Student Council 1-Band 1,
2, 3, 4,-Mixed Chorus 1,-"The Whole Truth" 3,-
"Maid of Money" 4,-Summarian 4.

Jim Fisher---------Jimmie's small but he's mighty,
And the girls think he's alrighty.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4,-"The Whole Truth" 3,-
"Maid of Money" 4,-Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4,-
Summarian 2, 4,-Class President 3, 4,-Band 1.

Ilene Gaither-----Ilene's little, as you can see,
She's always smiling at you and me.

F. H. A. 1, 2,-Summarian 4.

Harold Horner-----Always busy as can be,
And with the girls he'll always find glee.

Agriculture 1,-Summarian 4.

Patricia Inyart---With her pretty laughing smile,
A preacher's wife she'll find worth while.

F. H. A. 1,-"Maid of Money" 4.

Doris Jones--------Doris was chosen for the D. A. R.
Now you watch, she will go far.

F. H. A. 1,-"The Whole Truth" 3,"Maid of Money" 4,-Summarian 3, 4.

Myra Jones---------Myra's really lots of fun,
And she'll always get her work done.

F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4-F. H. A. President 4-Band 1, 2, 3, 4-Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4-"The Whole Truth" 3-"Maid of Money" 4-Librarian 4.

Phyllis Knoblet---Her giggles are both cute and keen,
Bernard, y ou know what I mean.

F. H. A. 1, 2-"The Whole Truth" 3-Girl's Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4-Band 3, 4-Summarian 4-Librarian 3, 4-Mixed Chorus 1, 2, 4.

Gene Lancaster----Patricia comes first, you see,
His car and Ag. come 2 and 3.

Agriculture 1, 2, 3, 4-F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4,-Pres. of F. F. A. 2, 4,-Vice President 1, 3,-Summarian 4, Basketball 1- Basketball Manager 2.

Nancy Miller------Nancy's pretty as she can be,
And in her cheerleading suit-Whoo Pee!

Student Council 1,- "The Whole Truth" 3-"Maid of Money " 4,- Band 1, 2, 3, 4,-Cheerleading 3, 4,-F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4,-Summarian 4.

Tom Perrott--------On the basketball floor he'll always score,
The kids all yell, "We want more."

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4,-Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4, "The Whole Truth" 3-Summarian 1, 4,- F. F. A. 1

Terry Poole-------His winning smile really rates,
With Karen, who he always dates.

Band 1, 2, 3, 4,-Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4, Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4,-Mixed Ensembles 1, 2, 3, 4,-"The Whole Truth" 3,-"Maid of Money" 4 Summarian 4.

Helen Roberts-----Helen, though she's very shy,
She'll someday find that one right guy.

"Maid of Money" 4,-Summarian 4.

Bob Pinkstaff------He's a studious little lad,
Always happy, but never sad.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4,-Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4,-F. F. A. 1,-"The Whole Truth" 3,-Summarian 4.

Don Scaggs---------Don plays on the basketball team,
With Linda, he is on the beam.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4,-F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4,-Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4,-Summarian 4.

Betty Thomas-------Betty lives up a little lane,
As a hill-billy singer, she'll gain much fame.

Home Ec. 1, 2, 3,-Summarian 4.

## Senior Specialities

Katie Jo Beasley----------English note books

Kathy Burget----------soda jerk

Philip Clark----------accuracy

Gilbert Deimel----------punctuality

Jim Fisher---------- shooting basketball

Ilene Gaither----------Encyclopodia infommation

Harold Horner----------farming

Patricia Inyart----------playing piano

Doris Jones----------preciseness

Myra Jones----------typing

Phyllis Knoblett----------friendliness

Gene Lancaster----------striding steadyly

Nancy Ray Miller----------Latin translations

Tom Perrott----------truck driving

Bob Pinkstaff----------flirting

Terry Poole----------dating Karen

Helen Roberts----------quietness

Don Scaggs----------driving

Betty Thomas----------operating car

| NAME | WANTS TO BE | LIKELY TO BE |
|---|---|---|
| Katie Jo Beasley | ranch owner | novelest |
| Kathy Burget | lawyer's wife | bank clerk |
| Philip Clark | math teacher | bronc clerk |
| Gilbert Deimel | Pres. of U. S. | pres. of Kroger Co. |
| Jim Fisher | engineer | farm hand |
| Ilene Gaither | typist | housewife |
| Harold Horner | atomic research | Ag. teacher |
| Patricia Inyart | Reverend's wife | Reverend's w |
| Doris Jones | school teacher | old maid |
| Myra Jones | secretary | lady barber |
| Phyllis Knoblet | nurse | patient |
| Gene Lancaster | millionaire | cattle rancher |
| Nancy Ray Miller | English teacher | Miss America |
| Tom Perrott | "Babe Ruth" | truck driver |
| Bob Pinkstaff | Globe trotter | undertaker |
| Terry Poole | coach | chyropractor |
| Helen Roberts | Mrs. X | college cheerleader |
| Don Scaggs | hot rod driver | Senator from Ill. |
| Betty Thomas | hill billy singer | housewife |

# The Seniors' Adventures

Once upon a time, on a bright sunny day, a FISHER man went down to the lake to fish. He rowed out to the middle of the lake and cast his line. He waited and waited and waited some more. Finally he reached into his pocket and pulled out a CLARK bar. He tore the wrapper off and threw it into the water. Suddenly the fish started lunging for the paper. The FISHER man began grabbing for the fish and tipped the boat over. He fell down to Davey JONES'S Locker. After being drenched to the skin, he swam back to the shore. He looked around the HORNER and saw a PINK STAFF lying in a little POOLE of water and a MILLER flying around. After he had dried off, he started back to town. Soon he met a girl whom he GAITHER a PERROTT. She accepted it, and he continued his journey. Just before he got to town, he met some ROBERTS whom he chased out to LANCASTER, where he KNOBLETT them over the head. After all this exertion, he was tired and went out to SCAGGES to rest. In the DORNEY he found a large THOMAS cat trying to get a BURGET out of its tail. In a little neat nest sat a HENRY. All of this was too much for the FISHER man, and he lay down and DEIMEL. And BEASLEY swarmed all around him.

We Seniors Love Ourselves

I, Katie Jo Beasley, love myself because of my ability to get short-hand.

I, Kathy Burget, love myself because of my bold nature.

I, Philip Clark, love myself because of my great basketball ability.

I, Gilbert Deimel, love myself because of my ability to get along with girls.

I, Jim Fisher, love myself because of my extra-ordinary height.

I, Ilene Gaither, love myself because of my ability to wear levis.

I, Harold Horner, love myself because of my ability to play pool.

I, Pat Inyart, love myself because of my ability to be at all of the annual meetings.

I, Doris Jones, love myself because of my ability to drive.

I, Myra Jones, love myself because of my soda fountain ability.

I, Phyllis Knoblett, love myself because of my ability to not have my Latin assignments.

I, Gene Lancaster, love myself because of my ability to get along with Rosie.

I, Nancy Ray Miller, love myself because of my typing ability.

I, Tom Perrott, love myself for my ability to stay out late on Saturday nights.

I, Bob Pinkstaff, love myself for my ability to sing so well.

I, Terry Poole, love myself for my ability to get along with Karen.

I, Helen Roberts, love myself because of my talkative nature.

I, Donald Scaggs, love myself for my ability to get to basketball practice on time.

I, Betty Thomas, love myself because of my ability to yoodel.

From A to Z

A is for Arabs, a fighting team

B is for Beasley, she's really on the beam; also for Burget,
who's got plenty of steam.

C is for Clark, a nice looking boy

D is for Deimel, who thinks working a joy.

E is for everyone, who makes up our school

F is for Fisher, he likes to play pool.

G is for Gaither, friendly to all

H is for Horner, for the girls he does fall.

I is for Inyart, a blond headed lass

J is for Jones, there's two in our class.

K is for Knoblett, with eyes that are brown

L is for Lancaster, who lives out of town.

M is for Miller, who gives us Rah Rah

N is for necessary, an education to all.

O is for obstacles, that we must get over some way.

P is for Perrott, Pinkstaff, and Poole, ball they can play.

Q is for quietness, which most of us need

R is for Roberts, who in typing has speed.

S is for Scaggs, at times he's a clown

T is for Tom's, the place where we're found.

U is for usefulness, what we all want to be

V is for vivacious, we're all bright as you can see.

W is for wonders, which our class can perform

X is for X-ray, which no one can scorn.

Y is for yell leaders, who root for our team

Z is for zeal, for we are all on the beam.

# Senior Trip to Chicago

One event to which every senior class looks forward is the senior class excursion. During the full four years the class of 1954 has been active in various projects that would bring financial gain as well as serve as cohesive forces to bind them together for greater enjoyment.

At last the senior year arrived and at each class meeting for months the proper destination for the trip was of prime importance. After considering many far-a-way places and scenic spots in our own state, everyone agreed that a three day conducted tour by chartered Greyhound bys would be the made-to-order answer to their long sought trip.

With the consent of the class Mr. Higgins made the preliminary arrangements with the bus company and on May 2, at 12:00 noon, with a cargo of 19, the tour began. Mr. Higgins and Miss Henry proved efficient and congenial chaperons for the adventuring seniors.

According to schedule the bus delivered the excited passengers at Hotel Sherman in time for the evening meal. By the time each was properly established in his respective quarters, it was bed time. On Monday all boarded a sight-seeing bus for an eight hour tour of the city, stopping at many points of interest for detailed lectures and picture taking opportunities. Some of these were National Stock Yards, Swifts' Packing House, University of Chicago, several of the city Parks, the Museum of Science and Industry and at last a zoo.

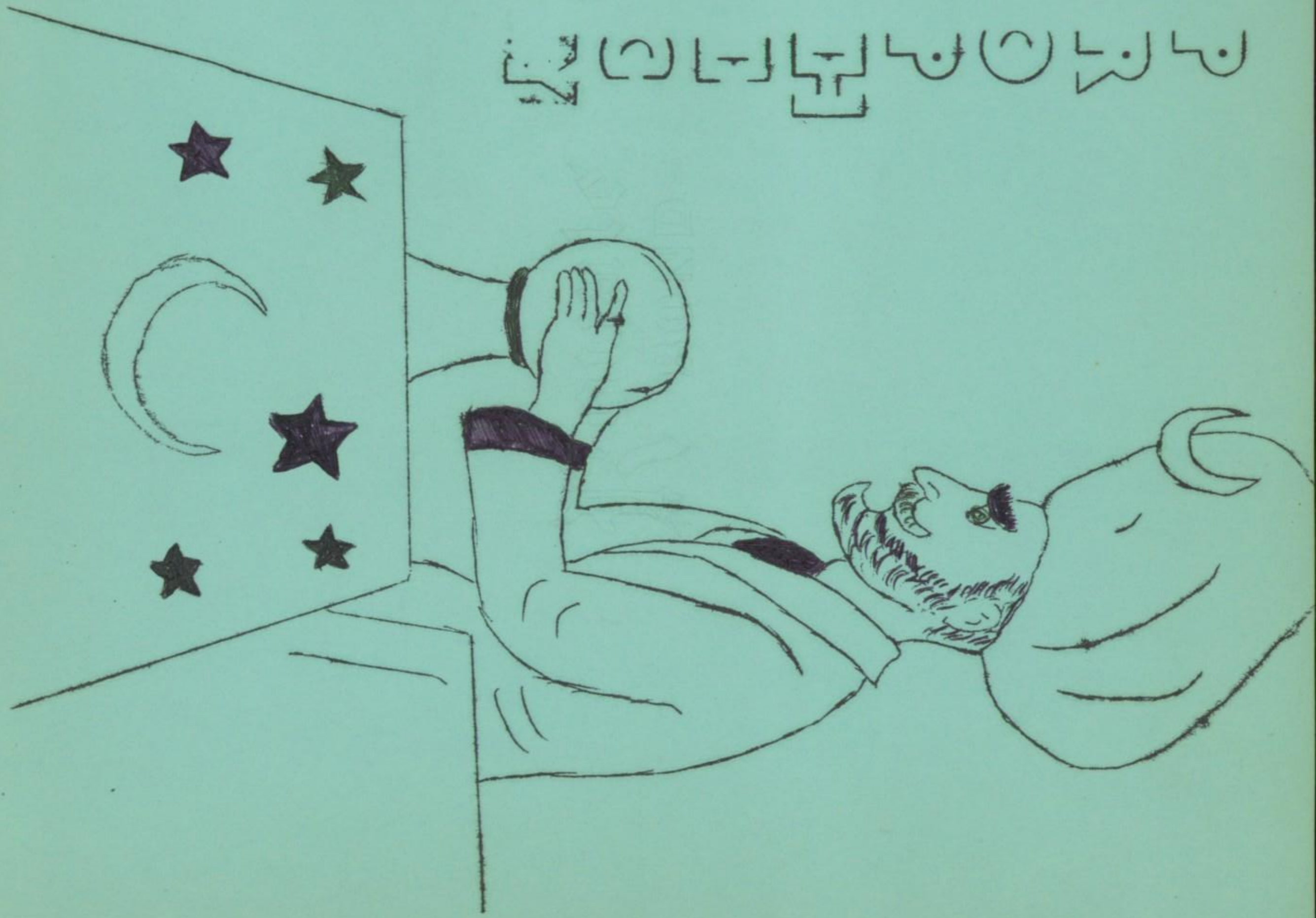
After a clean-up period the bus arrived again, and the evening was spent in touring China Town where all "enjoyed" supper in the Won Kow, a selective restaurant, then on to a trip through the City Hall of the Oriental settlement and finally into some little shops.

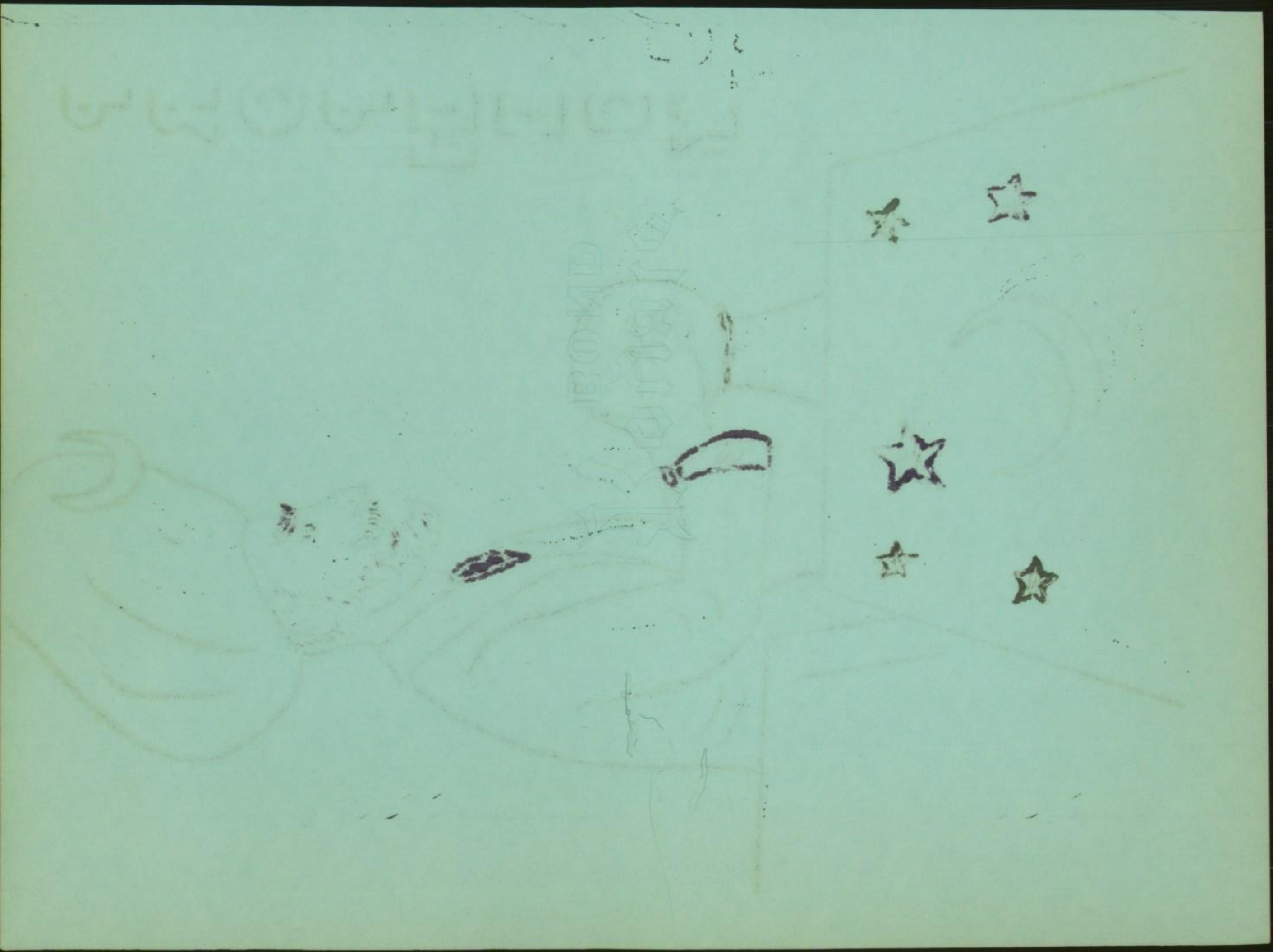
The next section of the tour was Chicago's Lake Shore Drive by night and a view of the lighted city from its east side.

Tuesday was open; so with different interests to follow, several small groups were formed and the order of the day was shopping--"window" shopping to be more exact.

Then it was time to pack up and check out, and soon the bus was winding its way over the highway which only two days before had led to the hotel. The homeward trip was uneventful yet full of tall tales of sights which only a few had seen.

The 600 mile trip at last had come to an end and the weary travelers were welcomed at home. Surely a new plan for senior day was instituted by this tour and it is the hope of this class of 1954 that such trips may become traditional.





PROPHECY

It was a beautiful spring day, but Doris Jones and I, both being teachers, were cooped up in our ritzy 5th Avenue Apartment in New York grading semester exams. It didn't seem possible that Doris and I had been out of college for six years.

Suddenly we were interrupted by the door bell. Our French maid hurried to answer it. On opening the door she found Don Scaggs, professor of Science. Since Professor Scaggs lived in the city, we often visited together. However this time he had come on business, not pleasure. He told us a new "flying saucer" had been invented and ask us if we would be interested in testing the new gadget. We informed him that we would think it over and let him know our decision soon. After discussing our problem with many of our friends, we decided to go through with the adventure. After all, we had only our lives to lose. We telephoned Don immediately and told him that we would test the "saucer."

The next morning we were awakened by a great commotion outside. We dressed quickly and then opened the door to see what was going on. Outside there were reporters by the dozens. We slammed the door, but not before two of them had a chance to crowd into the apartment. They began to rapidly buzz off questions about the flight.

We were surprised to find that one knew us quite well. After a close look at him, we recognized him as Gene Lancaster. As a senior, Gene had started a beard and after these many years, it finally developed into a real beard. Gene told us that he had his camera man outside. As he opened the door to let his camera man in, he pushed the other reporter out the door.

We learned that the camera man was Bob Pinkstaff. After they got our story of the flight and our pictures, we began to question them. Gene, we found, had married Pat McDonald and had a family. However, Bob had never settled down; he liked women too well. We finally had to explain that Doris and I had a luncheon date with some of the "big shots" connected with the "saucer." The boys took the cue and left. To allow time for the necessary arrangements, Doris and I planned to make the trip in a week.

The following morning the newspapers were filled with the story of the "LATEST ROCKET INVENTION." In the afternoon we received a long distance telephone call from Pat Inyart, a special friend of Doris's. Pat said she was coming to New York, so she'd stop by and see us. We were glad to learn of her coming because neither Doris nor I had seen her since "school days."

Since we were to leave very soon, Doris and I decided

to have a party. We informed our maid of our plans, and she wanted us to leave all the planning to her. We followed her suggestions, since we had so many things to attend to. Finally the night of the party arrived. We were scheduled to leave the following morning. Everyone was in high spirits with thoughts of the coming day.

Before we knew it, morning was here and it was time for us to go to the "Saucer Field." After many farewells and hand-shakings, we were in the "saucer" ready to pull out. Suddenly we heard someone call our names. There was Betty Thomas running towards us. She was now a famous hill-billy singer. She wished to go with us, and we were glad to have her company. When Betty wasn't singing, she was listening to the radio. Finally, we came to the first "saucer" field at which we were scheduled to stop. Doris and I took the attendant aside and ask him if he would disconnect the radio as he checked the "saucer." There was a fair going on about a mile down the road, and since it would take quite a while to check the "saucer", the three of us set out for the fair grounds. On reaching it, we saw a sign saying, "FEATURING KATHY BURGET AND HER FAMOUS TIGHT ROPE ACT." At once we became interested. Just as we got inside the tent, Kathy was going into her act. After it was over, we rushed to meet her. She had read of our flight and wished us luck. By this time it

was getting late, so we hurried back. When Betty learned of the disconnected radio, she became angry and refused to make the rest of the trip with us.

The next morning we stopped at another field and had the "saucer" checked again. We were suppose to have it checked at least once a day. Being hungry, we decided to look for a store. Soon we were standing in front of a Kroger Store. It was very large, covering a whole block. We went inside and looked around. To our amazement we found that Gilbert Deimel was the manager. He gave us all the food we wanted free, so we took advantage of his kindness and took enough food to last us on our flight. Gib was so overjoyed at seeing us that he didn't mind though. He told us where we could find Philip Clark, another classmate. In school, Gib and Philip had been close friends and still were. Gib lived with Philip at Philip's large ranch. At once we went to see Philip. He invited us to stay overnight, and we accepted. Early the next morning we were back on our way. As we were traveling along, we noticed a beautiful lake below us. We landed and decided to go swimming. In a short time three boys and four girls came running towards the lake. The boys looked exactly like Harold Horner and the girls like Helen Roberts. We asked them what their names were and they told us it was Horner. We went home with the

children and saw Helen and Harold. They invited us to stay for dinner, so we accepted, even though we had the "saucer" filled with food. We weren't a bit sorry we stayed for Helen was a wonderful cook, and she soon had us filled with Southern fried chicken and other delicious food. After dinner we helped do the dishes and then passed some time away talking over old times. Before we realized it, evening was setting in, so we had to leave our delightful host and hostess. That night, Doris and I decided to sleep in a hotel. The FISHER AND POOLE hotel attracted us at once. We went in wondering if it were Jim and Terry. Sure enough, it was. They took us dancing that night and by the time we got back to the hotel, it was time to start again on our journey. Since we didn't sleep any that night, the boys didn't charge us for the room. As soon as we were on the "saucer" we fell asleep and didn't wake up until evening. We decided to stay on the saucer that night, and the next morning we stopped to have the "saucer" checked again. The mechanic who was to attend to it was none other than Tom Perrott. He told us his wife, the former Myra Jones, would be delighted to see us. As soon as he had made the necessary adjustments on the "saucer", he took us home with him. We soon learned that they were the proud parents of twin girls, and that

Ilene Gaither, another classmate, was helping Myra until she could handle both the girls. After our visit with Myra and Tom, we started walking back to the "saucer" field so we could see what the town was really like. As we passed a shop, some beautiful pictures caught our eye. We took a closer look and saw that they had been painted by Katie Beasley. She owned the shop and was on her way to becoming a famous artist. Phyllis Knoblett, another classmate, was working for Katie. After a brief visit, we hurried back to the "saucer" and after another day, we were back in New York. Doris and I were never sure if we dreamed this experience or actually lived through it. Anyway, it was a lot of fun.

# CLASS WILL

We the Seniors of Sumner High, Class of 1954, being of sound mind and body, after considering the matter to the fullest extent, feel in all ways legal by affixing our names to this last will and testament. We do hereby will and bequeath to the faculty and underclassmen the follwoing:

I, Katie Jo Beasley, do hereby will my gentleness to Jo Ann Fortney.

I, Kathy Burget, do hereby will my quietness to Pat Brewer.

I, Philip Clark, do hereby will my good grades to James Van Gilder.

I, Jim Fisher, do hereby will my ability to get around to Franklin Brown.

I, Ilene Gaither, do hereby will my early hours to Donma Jones.

I, Harold Horner, do hereby will my Latin II book to Chip Fiscus.

I, Patricia Inyart, do hereby will my typing speed to Lloyd Bennett.

I, Doris Jones, do hereby will my evenings at home to Pat McDonald.

I, Myra Jones, do hereby will my fiery temper to Phyllis Piper.

I, Gilbert Deimel, do hereby will my director's baton to Donna Moan.

I, Phyllis Knoblett, do hereby will my steady dating and late hours to Vivian Winters.

I, Gene Lancaster, do hereby will my ability to raise prize cattle to Betty Jo Braan.

I, Nancy Ray Miller, do hereby will my ability to fall off of horses to Joan Clark.

I, Tom Perrott, do hereby will my gracious manners to Frank Bartram.

I, Bob Pinkstaff, do hereby will my scholastic ability to John Grove.

I, Terry Poole, do hereby will my muscular build to Mike Westall.

I, Helen Roberts, do hereby will my height to Karen Stout.

I, Don Scaggs, do hereby will to Lester Hulfachor a girl like Linda.

I, Betty Thomas, do hereby will my likeable attitude to Nancy Young.

Witness: Elene Gaither

Witness: Harold Horner

Witness: Gilbert Deimel

Witness: Patricia Sargent

We, The Senior Class, hereby will to:

Mrs. Dorney—a Latin class that will open their books.

Miss Henry--a new Cadillac, a new ranch type house, and a loving husband.

Miss Lawhun—greater security for her personal possessions.

Miss Grimm--a one hundred-piece band.

Mrs. Schweizer--a Home Ec. Class that does not burn everything.

Mr. Higgins--a toupe.

Mr. Weas--a fifty member Agriculture Class.

Mr. Greisemer--a safe Driver's Training Class.

Mr. Courtright--a new jet airplane.

Norman and Anci Roark---a bus load to go to the ball game.

Cooks--a modern kitchen.

Mr. and Mrs. Creech--a mechanical mop.

Mrs. Betty Boren--"Suds"-special delivery.

Senior Play Cast

Standing--Tom Perrott, Kathy Burget, Philip Clark, Nancy Ray Miller, Jim Fisher.

Sitting---Gilbert Deimel, Doris Jones, Myra Jones, Helen Roberts, Terry Poole, Patricia Inyart.

Junior Play Cast

Standing--Tom Sharrett, Freda Ulrick, JoAnn Fortney, David Wortman, John Groves, James Vanguilder.

Sitting---Vivian Winters, Bernard Goodwin, Donna Jones, Karen Stout, Larry Lancaster, Ann White, Frank Brown, Frank Bartram.

Junior Play Cast

Standing--Tom Sharrett, Phyllis Piper, Barbara Richardson, David Wortman, John Groves, James Vanguilder.

Sitting---Thelma Hayes, Bernard Goodwin, Shirley Fisher, Marilyn Newell, Larry Lancaster, Ann White, Frank Brown, Frank Bartram.

# A MAID OF MONEY

The senior class of 1954 presented their annual play Friday night, October 25, on the stage of the gymnasium.

Everything was in the class's favor and an excellent performance was presented to a large appreciative audience.

The plot was centered around Mrs. Caldwell, a boarding-house keeper who was doing her best to become heir to Stonewall's money. Bonnie, the maid who was kind and sweet and helpful, won the heart of every one and in the end became the Maid of Money. Mrs. Caldwell's son, who had never learned to work, finally gets a job and is on his way to becoming a useful and successful young man.

Jimmie Fisher, president of the class, in behalf of the cast presented a beautiful gift to Miss Henry for her direction of the cast. The gift consisted of a beautiful desk lamp, a hand painted juice set, and the conventional dozen red roses.

This performance was well received.

## THE CAST

Mrs. Ida Caldwell, who runs a boarding house--Myra Jones
Alonzo Caldwell, her son----------Terry Poole
Ada Pepper, her sister----------Doris Jones
Horace Pepper, her brother----------Jim Fisher
Stonewall Jackson Pepper, her cousin-----Gilbert Deimel
Hope Gordon, a school teacher----------Kathy Burget
Mildred Moore, a journalist----------Helen Roberts
Richard Foster, an investigator----------Tom Perrott
Ezra Cobb, a handy man----------Philip Clark
Pansy Pinkham, a "maiden" lady----------Patricia Inyart
Bonnie Day, a maid-of-all-work at the houseNancy Miller

# IF MOTHER ONLY KNEW

The final dramatic production of the year was presented on the stage of the gymnasium on Thursday and Friday, April 8 and 9, by the Junior Class.

This play, a 3 act farce, entitled If Mother Only Knew, is a recent composition written by Donald Payton.

The action of the entire play takes place in the Maxwells' living room. The time is the twentieth wedding anniversary of the Maxwells. The mother is sure Dad has forgotten the anniversary and bursts into tears when he is late for dinner. The children save the day however, by making plans about which Mother never does know. Flowers are ordered by the doting children and Father catches on that something special is going on. But one bouquet too many arrives; it is from Dr. Gooch, a former college pal of Mrs. Maxwell's. Just what Mother doesn't know makes the plot of a fast moving realistic play.

The band gave a pre-curtain concert and furnished numbers between the acts.

Frank Bartram, president of the class, in behalf of the cast and the junior class presented Miss Henry with a beautiful memiorial for her assistance. The gift was the dozen red roses and a beautiful polished and aluminium tray and a pair of scatter pins.

## THE CAST

Janie Maxwell-Mother----------Donna Jones-Shirley Fisher
Aunt Mary-Mother's Aunt----------Thelma Hayes-Vivian Winters
Connie-daughter, a freshman in college----------Karen Stout
-Marilyn Newell
Betty Lou-daughter, cute and peppy----------Jo Ann Fortney
-Barbara Richardson
Bernadine-Betty Lou's pal----------Ann White
Wilbur-son, a personified bomb----------Frank Bartram
Hercules Nelson-Wilbur's bosom pal----------Franklin Brown
John Maxwell-father----------Bernard Goodwin
Gladys Gooch-Mother's former roommate----------Freda Ulrich
-Phyllis Piper
"Brains" Burke-Connie's one and only----------Larry Lancaster
Dr. Jeffry Gooch-Glady's husband----------Tommy Sharrett
Badge Burns-police officer----------David Wortman

# UNDERCLASS-MEN

# Junior Class

Frank Bartram

Larry Lancaster

Ann White

Donna Jones

Bernard Goodwin

Karen Stout

Shirley Fisher

Tommy Sharrett

Thelma Hayes

Barbara Richardson

James Van Gilder

Pat Brewer

Lorene Like

Velda Pittman

Franklin Brown

Shirley Harbaugh

Patricia McDonald

Vivian Winter

Violet Utsler

Donna Weiss

John Grove

Shirley Smith

Freda Ulrich

Marilyn Newell

Wayne Brian

Betty Jo Brian

# JUNIOR CLASS HISTORY

When school started on September 4, 1951, thirty seven freshmen enrolled in Sumner High School. On September 14 the sophomores sponsored an all school party and freshmen initiation which was held in the gym. On November 16 the freshmen invited the upper classmen to a skating party at Olney. On January 28, the freshmen and sophomores entered the freshmen and sophomore M. T. C. Tourney at Clay City and won a third place trophy.

The class officers were:

President----------Jonnie Winter
Vice President----------Donna Jones
Secretary and Treasurer----------JoAnn Fortney
Class Reporter----------Ruth Provine
Class Advisors----------Mr. Courtright
Mr. Miller

As sophomores the class started with an enrollment of 32 students. During the year the class lost 2 of its members. In April the sophomores and their guests enjoyed a hay ride and weiner roast at Red Hill State Park.

The class officers were:

President----------Phyllis Piper
Vice President----------Ann White
Secretary and Treasurer----------Frank Bartram
Class Advisors----------Mr. Courtright
Mr. Miller

When school started on August 28, 1953, 31 students returned to the junior class. Later in the year one student dropped out. In September the junior class and guests enjoyed a skating party at Beal's in Olney. On April 8 and 9 the juniors presented the play, IF MOTHER ONLY KNEW. On April 23, the juniors sponsored a Midnight Sing. The Junior and Senior Banquet was held on May 14.

The class officers were:

President----------Frank Bartram
Vice President----------Larry Lancaster
Secretary and Treasurer----------Bernard Goodwin
Class Advisors----------Miss Grimm
Mr. Courtright

# Junior Prized Possessions

Frank Bartram----------moustache

Francis Brewer----------nickname "Pat"

Betty Jo Brian----------blue jeans and art book

Wayne Brian----------good looks

Frank Brown----------history book

Shirley Fisher----------dark glasses

Jo Ann Fortney----------high scholastic ability

Bernard Goodwin----------horse and saddle

John Groves----------job at filling station

Shirley Harbaugh----------Bridgeport T-shirt

Thelma Hayes----------ability to tend to her business

Lester Hulfachor----------mechanical ability

Donna Jones----------class ring

Larry Lancaster----------gray Ford

Lorene Like----------Ray Hixon

Patricia McDonald----------Gene Lancaster

Marilyn Newell----------ear rings

Phyllis Piper----------quietness

Velda Pittman----------pink complection

Barbara Richardson----------red wavy hair

Tom Sharrett----------ability to argue

Shirley Smith----------soberness

Karen Stout----------Terry Poole

Freda Ulrich----------friendliness

Violet Utsler----------engagement ring

James Van Gilder----------loafing

Donna Weiss----------tight skirts

Ann White----------come hither eyes

Vivian Winters----------glasses

David Wortman----------electrical equipment

# Sophomore Class

Phyllis Lathrop

Kenneth Jones

Dan McVickar

Ollie Clark

Norma Laws

Betty Westall

Larry Stoltz

Harold Roberts

Duane Scott

Shirley Moore

Mike Westall

Virginia Gibson

Lloyd Bennett

Betty Ash

Linda Bridgett

Russell Atkins

Donna Moan

Gordon Mills

Jane Higgins

Kenneth Prowse

Leo Dermel

Marcella Baker

David Pool

Joan Clark

Jim Miller

Janet Piper

Linda Fritchley

Larry Vowells

Anita Garrett

Charles Fiscus

Georgia Schultz

Ivan Ulmer

SOPHOMORE HISTORY

On August 30, 1952, 30 peppy boys and girls started their life in Sumner High School. We came from Sumner, Lukin, Petty, and Beulah schools. Duane Scott joined the class later in the year.

The class members started working in the organizations and clubs with the upperclassmen in band, chorus, baseball, basketball, etc. We helped all we could to promote these activities.

The seniors planned the annual freshman initiation. We were entertained by having a lunch at Red Hill State Park. After the lunch, the whole school went to a baseball game.

On February 3 the freshmen and sophomores went to Clay City to play in the Freshman-Sophomore M. T. C. Tourney. The boys played a good game, but were defeated.

The freshman class supplied the cheerleaders for the Freshman, and Sophomore and B. team. Those that were chosen were Janet Piper, Joan Clark, and Virginia Gibson.

The officers of the freshman class in 1952 & 1953 were:

President----------Leo Deimel
Vice President----------Phyllis Lathrop
Secretary and Treasurer----------Janet Piper
Class Advisors----------Mr. M. B. Weas
Mr. Ely Karasik
Class Historians----------Linda Bridgett
Russell Atkins

School started August 28, 1953. Seventeen boys and fourteen girls enrolled in our class at the beginning of the year. We gained one student later on in the year and also lost one.

Phyllis Lathrop and Kenneth Jones were sophomore candidates for the king and queen contest at the Halloween Carnival held on October 29, 1953.

We had a chili supper on December 11 and a bake sale January 23, both of which were successful.

Janet Piper and Joan Clark were elected for two of the four varsity cheerleaders.

Our Freshman and Sophomore basketball team went to Noble to the Freshman and Sophomore Tourney and won the 3rd place trophy. The Sophomore also had three teams in the class tourneys. The Sophomore's 1st team won second place and the 2nd team won fourth place.

Our class had a skating and bowling party April 6, 1954 at Beal's Skating Rink in Olney.

The officers of the Sophomore class of 1953 & 1954 were:

President ----------Phyllis Lathrop
Vice President ----------Kenneth Jones
Secretary and Treasurer----------Norma Laws
Class Advisors ----------Mr. M. B. Weas
Miss Jeanette Lawhun
Class Historians----------Donna Moan
Dan McVickar

## Sophomore Specialities

Betty Ash----------cuteness

Russell Atkins----------his walk

Marcella Baker----------straight A's

Lloyd Bennett----------idleness

Linda Bridgett----------her walk

Joan Clark----------cheerleading

Leo Deimel----------shortness

Charles Fiscus----------playimg basketball

Linda Fritchley----------dating

Anita Garrett----------short hair

Virginia Gibson----------common sense

Jane Higgins----------skipping school

Kenneth Jones----------big feet

Phyllis Lathrop----------height

Norma Laws----------shortness

# FRESHMAN CLASS

DON SCOTT

ROBERT JONES

KENNETH PRESTON

BETTE MILLER

CHARLES FISCUS

ROMELL HOUSER

JAY TAYLOR

LOLA BREWER

MARY SHANK

CECIL PIPER

BERNICE PIPER

ROBERT SNICK

NANCY YOUNG

CHARLES ASH

HAROLD FISCUS

IRIS VOWELLS

LEROY GREISEMER

JANE SLOVER

RONNIE STOLLHANS

NAOMI GRIFFIN

CLOETTA INYART

MAX ATKINS

DOROTHY JOSEPH

LARRY STOLTZ

GENEVIEVE LINDER

LEON GREISEMER

## FRESHMAN HISTORY

On August 28, 1953, school opened with 25 students enrolled as freshmen. The all-school party was held on September 11. This was held in the gymnasium and the senior class had planned a very pleasant evening.

The Halloween Carnival was held on October 29. The freshman class candidates for king and queen were Nancy Young and Max Atkins. The projects were fish pond and selling ice cream.

Seven freshman boys participated in basketball. Four girls were cheer leaders.

During the year the class held a bake sale. All year the freshman sold ice cream at noon.

The class officers were:

President----------Don Scott
Vice President----------Robert Jones
Secretary and Treasurer----------Max Atkins
Class Advisors----------Mrs. Jessie Schweizer
Mr. Lee Griesemer

# Freshmen Prophecy

Charles Ash----------Mr. America

Max Atkins ----------hen-pecked husband

Lola Brewer----------P. E. teacher

Chip Fiscus----------pool shark

Harold Fiscus----------President C. I. O.

Leon Griesemer--------U. S. representative to Australia

Le Roy Griesemer----------anchor making

Naomi Griffin----------great artist

Romell Houser----------Mrs. !!

Cloetta Inyart----------beauty operator

Robert Jones ----------history teacher

Dorothy Joseph----------movie star

Genevieve Linder ----------hair-dresser

Bette Miller----------Voice teacher

Bernice Piper----------Mrs. Ronnie Stollhans

Cecil Piper----------pro-basketball player

Kenny Preston----------big oil man

Donald Scott----------an English teacher

Mary Shank----------lst. lady President of U. S.

Robert Shick----------hot rod driver

Jane Slover----------a famous model

Ron Stollhan----------mathmatian

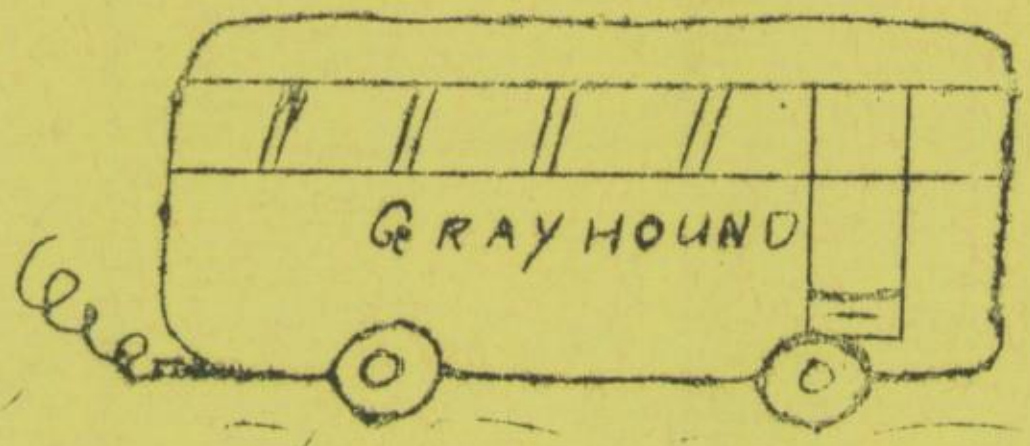
Larry Stoltz----------newspaper reporter

Jay Taylor----------big game hunter

Iris Vowells----------Mrs. Ronnie Stollhans

Nancy Young----------housewife

Sam Weiss----------mechanic

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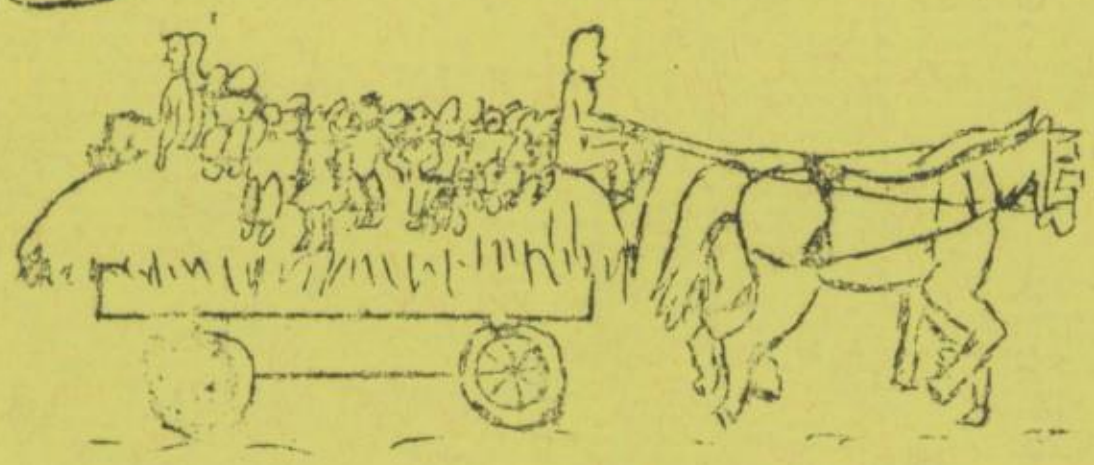


# SCHOOL CALENDAR

Sept. 1 School opened
2 Class Meetings
7 Labor Day vacation
10 Physical examinations
11 Baseball game with Cisne here; Lost 7-2
Magazine contest opened; All School Party
14 Baseball game with Noble here; Lost 5-2
16 Baseball game with Clay City there; Lost 7-0
17 Class Meetings
18 Baseball game with Noble there; Lost 11-1
21 Movie "News Magazine of the Screen"
22 Baseball game with Clay City here; Won 3-2
24 Class Meetings
25 Baseball game with Cisne here; Lost 2-1
28 Movie "News Magazine of the Screen"
Oct. 1 Class Meetings
2 Prizes Awarded for Magazine Sales
5 Basketball practice began
6 No school; out of water
8 End of first six weeks
9 Teachers' Institute
12 Columbus Day; no school
13 Magic Show
15 F. H. A. girls go to Palestine
19 Magazine sale prizes awarded
20 School pictures taken
21 Juniors order Class Rings
Seniors order Announcements
22 Senior play cuts
23 Senior play "Maid of Money"
27 Junior Skating Party at Olney
28 Movie "News Magazine of the Screen"
29 Class Meetings
30 Halloween Carnival in Gym
Nov. 2 Freshman and Sophomore Basketball game here; Lost
3 Senior pictures taken at Olney
5 Class Meetings
6 Basketball game with St. Francisville there;
Lost 58-53
10 Basketball game with Allendale there; Won 60-58
11 No school; Armistice Day
12 Class Meetings
13 First Home Basketball game with Cisne; Won 60-58
19 Class Meetings
20 Basketball game with La Grove here; Won 71-58

24 Basketball game with Albion here; Won 71-68
26 Beginning of Thanksgiving vacation
30 Back to school after vacation
Dec. 1 Basketball game with Noble here; Won 62-59
2 F. F. A. Poultry Show at Fairfield
3 Sophomore Chili Supper; Class Meetings
4 Basketball game with Cisne there; Won 51-47
8 Basketball game with Hutsonville here; Lost 57-78
10 Class Meetings
11 Basketball game with Clay City there; Lost 55-65
15 Basketball game with Louisville there; Lost 62-77
17 Basketball game with Palestine there; Lost 43- 69
23 Beginning of Christmas vacation
Jan. 4 Back to school after a long Christmas vacation
7 Class Meetings
8 Basketball game with Kinmundy here; Lost 68-71
11 Freshmen and Sophomore Tourney at Clay City
Sumner vs. La Grove; Won
12 Basketball game with Noble there; Lost 60-68
13 Freshmen and Sophomore Tourney
Sumner vs. Noble; Lost
14 Class Meetings; Freshmen and Sophomore Tourney
Sumner vs. Cisne; Won
15 Basketball game with Oblong here; Won 66-52
18 Beginning of second semester
20 Unemployment Bureau Aptitude Test given to Seniors
21 Wabash Valley Tourney at Palestine
Sumner vs. Martinsville; Lost 59-66; Class Meetings
25 Juniors receive class rings
26 Midland Trail Tourney at Louisville
27 Sumner vs. Kinmundy; Lost 50-61; Class Meetings
28 Sumner vs. Louisville; Lost 61-77
Feb. 2 Basketball game with St. Francisville here; Won 65-61
4 Class Meetings
5 Basketball game with Kinmundy there; Lost 74-86
9 Basketball game with Clay City here; Lost 66-70
11 Teachers' Institute, no school
Basketball game with Allendale here; Won 58-51
12 Lincoln's Birthday, no school
15 Captain Schenck's Movie and Lecturer
16 Basketball game with Louisville here; Lost 81-61
18 Class Meetings; Movie "News Magazine of the Screen"

19 Basketball game with La Grove there; Lost 81-85
23 District Tournament at St. Francisville
Sumner vs. Allendale; Lost 74-70
25 Class Meetings
Mar. 4 Grade cards given out for fourth six weeks
5 Centennial pie supper in gym
9 Essay Contest winners announced at Elks Banquet at Lawrenceville
10 Junior Play tryouts
11 Dr. Beckes of Vincennes University addressed Juniors and Seniors
15 Junior Play practice started
16 First group of basketball boys went to State Basketball Tournament at Champaign, Illinois
Dental Picture put on by State Board of Health
17 Class Meetings
18 Second group of basketball boys went to the State Basketball Tournament
22 Band went to Noble for All-Conference Band Festival
23 Class Basketball Tournament started
25 Class Meetings
29 Centennial Meeting
30 Senior Class sponsored the movie "Has Anybody Seen My Gal" at the Idaho theater
Apr. 1 Class Meetings
2 Grade School Music Division went to Fairfield to Music Contest
6 Sophomore Class Party at Olney, Illinois
8 First night of Junior Class Play "If Mother Only Knew"
9 Second night of Junior play
13 Senior Class Party at High School
14 Movie "News Magazine of the Screen"
15 Class Meetings; Beginning of Easter Vacation
20 Back to school; Grade cards given out for fifth six weeks
22 Class Meetings
23 Midnight Singing sponsored by the Junior Class.
27 County Music Festival at Lawrenceville
29 College Day at Charleston
30 Basketball Banquet
May 2 Senior trip to Chicago, Illinois for three days
7 State Music Contest for Grade School at Herrin, Ill.
8 Sophomore Bakesale
11 Ag. boys went to National Plowing site at Olney, Ill.
12 F. F. A. & F. H. A. party

14 Junior-Senior Banquet
19 Seniors dismissed
20 8th grade dismissed
21 Grade school picnic
22 Midland Trail Track Meet
23 Baccalaurate
24 Class day; Grade School Commencement
25 High School Commencement

F. H. A.

Top Row----Lola Brewer, Nancy Young, Norma Laws, Betty Ash, Phyllis Piper, Shirley Fisher, Bette Miller, Marilyn Newell.

Middle Row-Mrs. Schweizer, Romell Houser, Mary Shank, Bernice Piper, Karen Stout, Joan Clark, Georgia Schultz.

Front Row--Janet Piper, Nancy Ray Miller, Linda Fritchley, Shirley Moore, Myra Jones, Donna Moan, Ann White, Kathy Burget.

F. F. A.

Top Row----Mr. Weas, Cecil Piper, LeRoy Griesemer, Robert Shick, Kenneth Preston, Leon Griesemer.

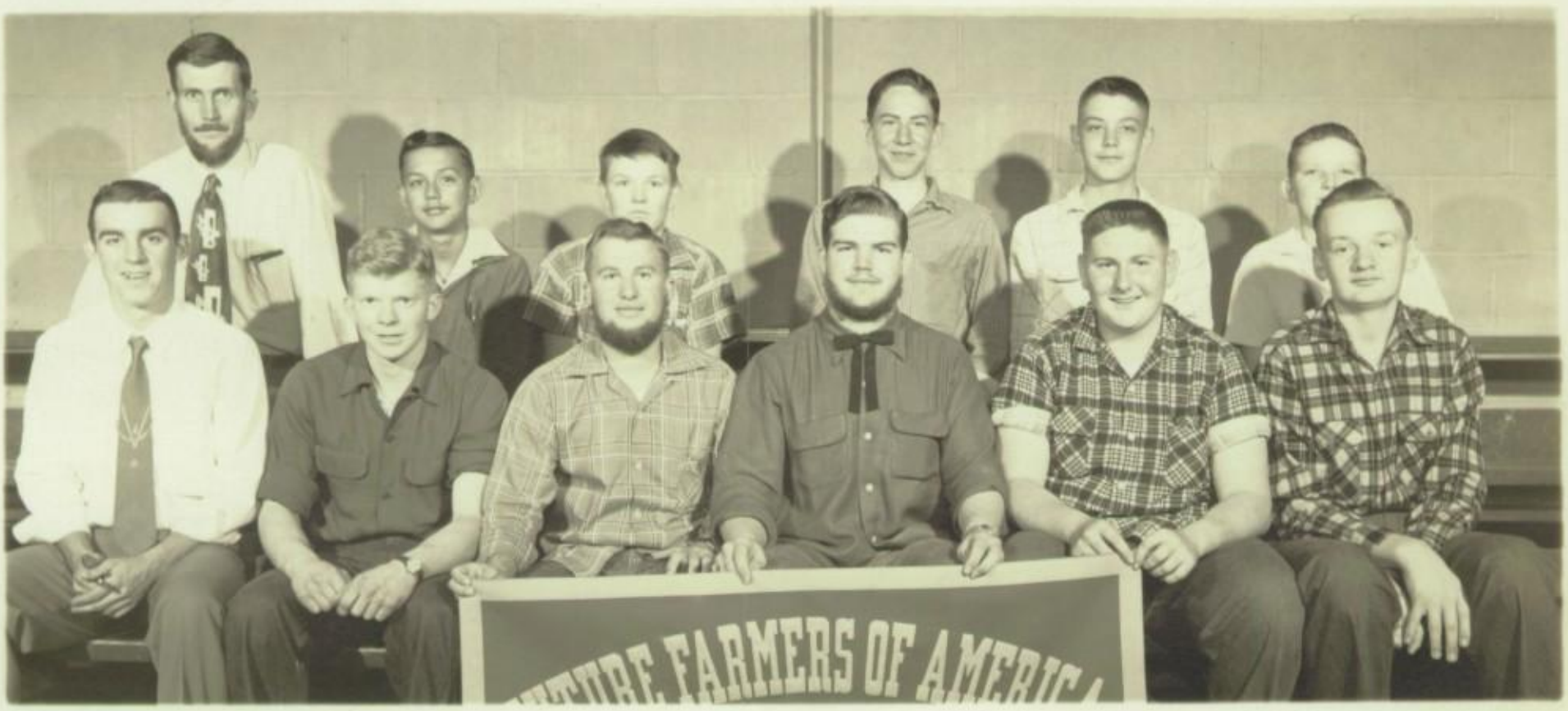
Front Row--John Groves, Larry Vowells, Don Scaggs, Gene Lancaster, Harold Fiscus, Harold Roberts.

Summarian Staff

Top Row----Don Scaggs, Gene Lancaster, Frank Bartram, Terry Poole, Gilbert Deimel, Tom Perrott, Bob Pinkstaff, Robert Jones.

Middle Row-Miss Henry, Jim Fisher, Bernice Piper, Helen Roberts, Patricia Inyart, Kathy Burget, Harold Horner, Dan McVickar, Philip Clark.

Front Row--Ilene Gaither, Doris Jones, Donna Moan, Karen Stout, Nancy Ray Miller, Myra Jones, Phyllis Hobbett, Katie Beasley.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# F. H. A.

The Future Homemakers of America is the national organization of pupils studying homemaking in junior and senior high schools of the United States and Territories. As on intergral part of the program of home economics in the schools of America, it offers opportunity for the further development of pupil initiative in planning and carrying out activities related to homemaking.

Future Homemakers of America is an incorporated, non-profit youth organization. Over a period of 20 or 25 years there were various club organizations of pupils of home economics in high schools. The name and type of organization dates back to 1945. At present there are approximately 450,000 members. The pypils enrolled in homemaking and those who have been so enrolled and are still in school, constitute its active membership. Membership is entirely voluntary.

The emblem of the Future Homemakers of America is octagonal in shape and bears the name of the organization, Future Homemakers of America, around the top of the plane while around the lower side of it is the motto, Toward New Horizons. The distinguishing colors are red and white, the official flower is the red rose, and the motto is "Toward New Horizons".

The local chapter has had a pleasant year under the efficient leadership of the president, Myra Jones. The chapter has a meeting at night once a month. Business is discussed first of all and then the rest of the evening is spent in recreation. The girls deserve praise for their work in some special activities this past year. They canvassed the town during the March of Dimes Campaign; they canvassed the town, selling vanilla to buy an electric coffee maker for the use of the school and community; they sold charm bracelets to help pay for some new living room furniture; and they donned their "Dungarees" for a Hobo Day this spring in order to raise the money necessary to send a delegate to the state F. H. A. camp at Bloomington, Ill.

The complete list of officers for 1953-54 is as follows:

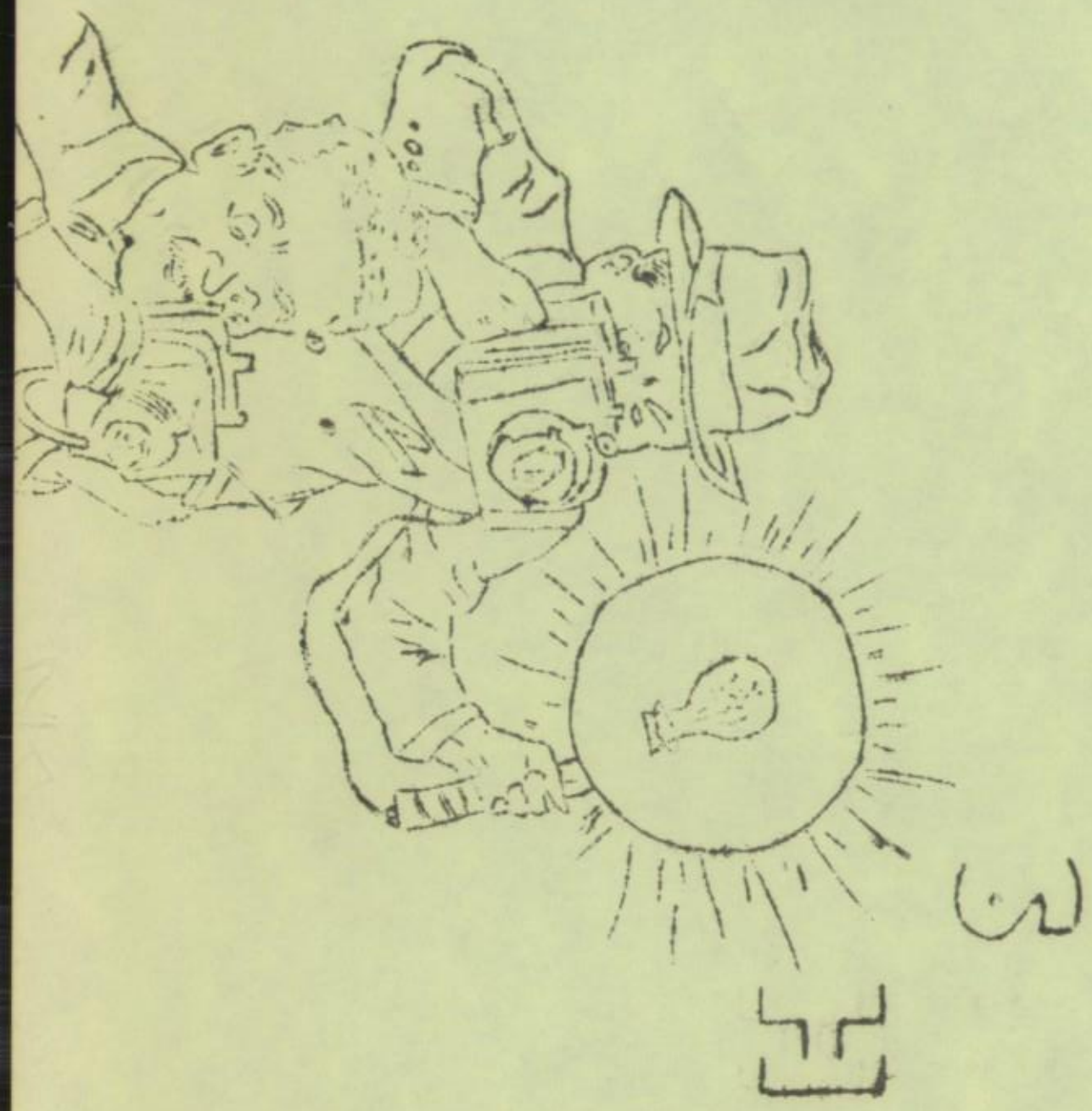
President----------Myra Jones
Vice President----------Kathy Burget
Secretary----------Janet Piper
Treasurer----------Patricia McDonald
Parliamentarian----------Nancy Ray Miller
Historian----------Ann White
Chairman of Recreation----------Shirley Moore
Chairman of Projects----------Linda Fritchley
Chairman of Public Relations----------Donna Moan
Chapter Mother----------Mrs. Lorraine Hanratty
Chapter Adviser----------Mrs. Jessie Rae Schweizer

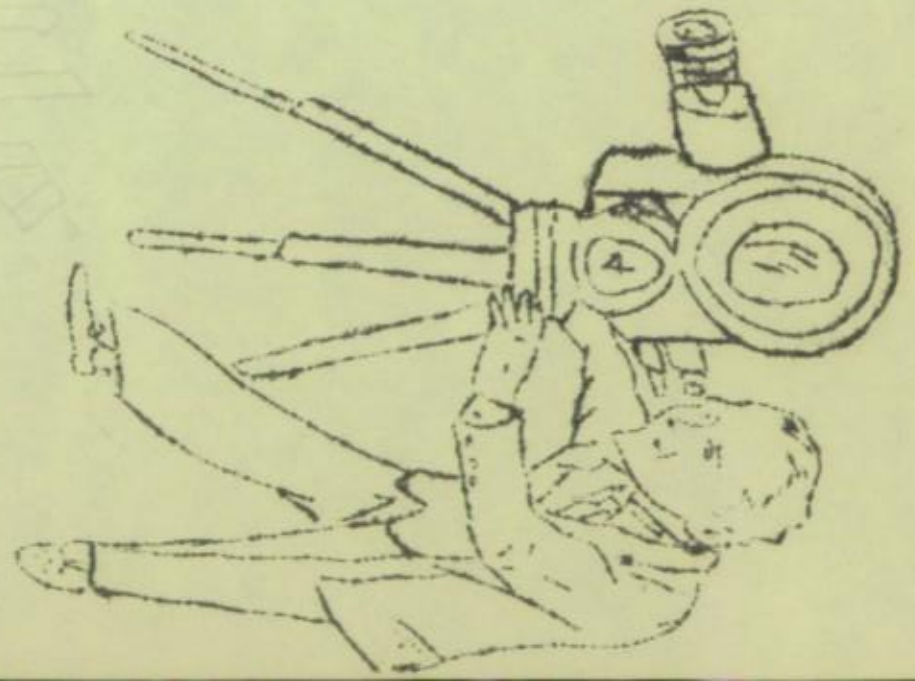
# FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

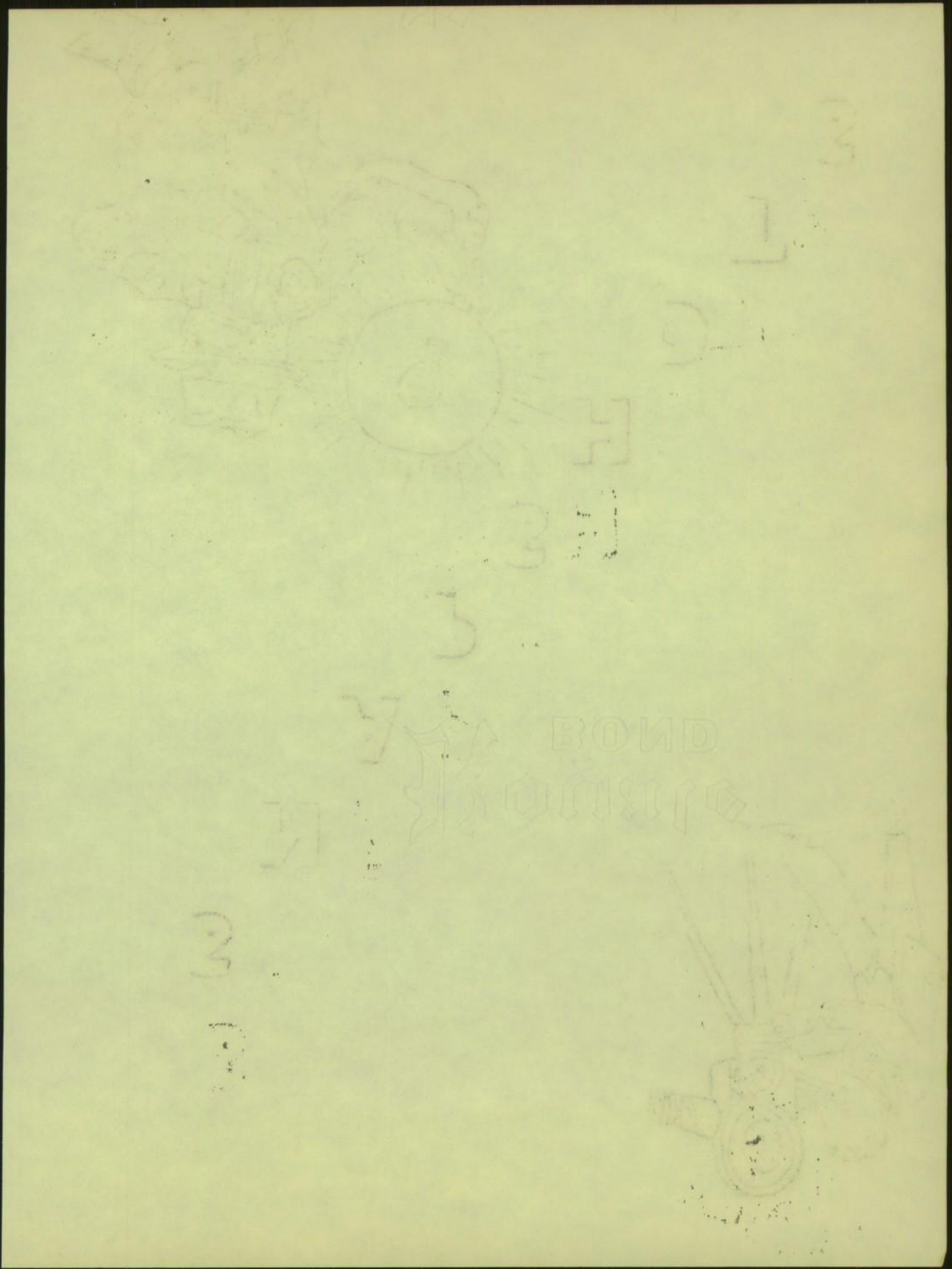
The Sumner Chapter of the Future Farmers of America is a member of the state association and the National F.F.A. The National F.F.A. celebrated its silver anniversary at the National Convention, which was held at Kansas City, Missouri, October 1953. This national organization began with a few states "banding" together in 1928 to share ideas, etc. During the 25 years the organization has spread to each of the 48 states, to Hawaii, and to Puerto Rico. Also, some other countries have formed a similar organization very much like ours-a good example is " Future Farmers of Japan" -F.F.J. The Future Farmers of America is an organization we should be proud of having in our country.

Our officers are:

President----------Gene Lancaster
Vice-President----------Don Scaggs
Treasurer----------John Grove
Secretary----------Larry Vowells
Reporter----------Harold Roberts
Acting Sentinel----------Harold Fiscus
Advisor----------Maurice B. Weas, Voc. Agr. Teacher







# ~ SnaPshoTS ~

American History

↑ Crazy Mixed-UP Kids

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Senior PLay-Casts

That's an act ↖

Qib in 1854(?)

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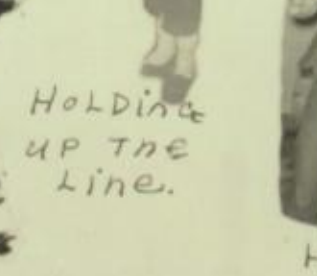
Yeah! Arabs

Bears!!!

Donna and Donna

Senior Class Party



Holding up the Line.

HELP!!! POLICE!

Sitting Pretty!

How Sweet!

ALL Wound UP

Slugger Leo!

Senior Class President

Ain't Love Grand?

OLD Friends(?)

"My, Oh, me my!"

Puppy Love

They are Taking the right STEPS

"Did I hear you right?"

"Gosh, we about hit him!"

Stupious Freshmen (he/he!)

In Chicago, we met Maybelle!

School board at work(?)

The Charleston boys really liked the Sumner girls!

"Fifteen for Sumner!"

1953 Christmas Party

"Drink on the Tea, Kenny."

"What does 'f' mean?"

"Westward Ho!"

Janet in 6th grade school again.

"Pid" at bat!

Buddie-Pals

# ~ Chicago Trip ~

E. W. Allen, our busdriver.

Miss Henry and a 100-year old stage coach.

Our Chinatown and various places of interest are explained by the Chicago busdrivers.

Gene finds a "hotrod" in the museums.

Nancy sees the "big city."

In the courthouse in Chinatown..

At the Fountain of Time

In the lobby of the Sherman

Tired explorers!

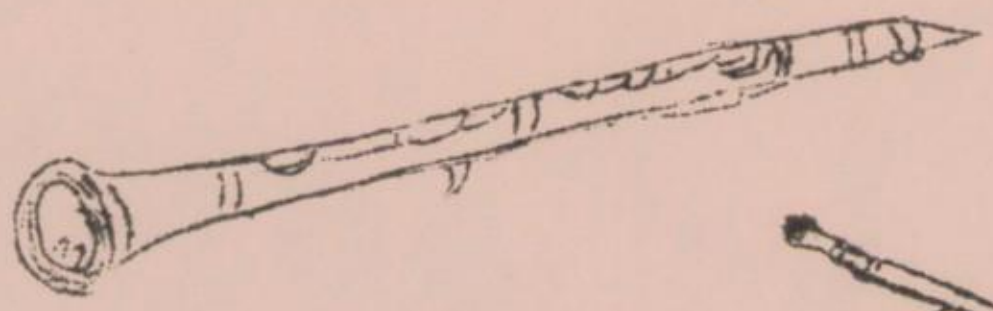
A $10,000 lamp and Miss Henry in Chinatown!

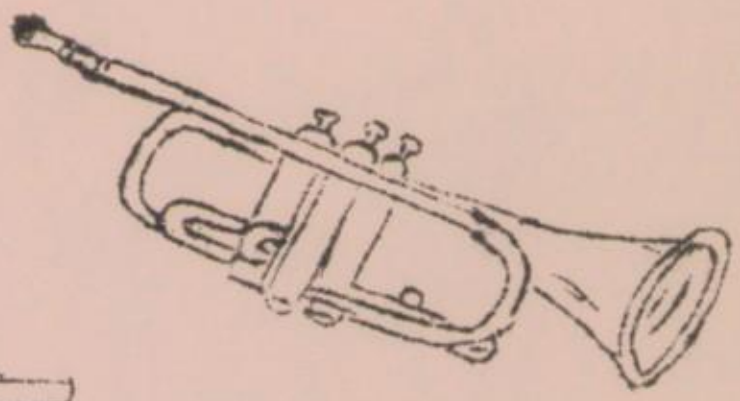
Solid Comfort

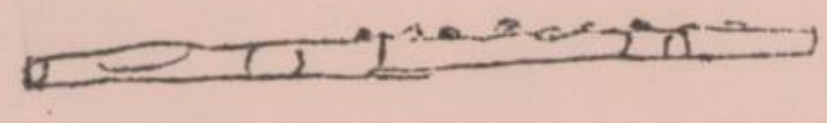
Sleepy - Time Girls

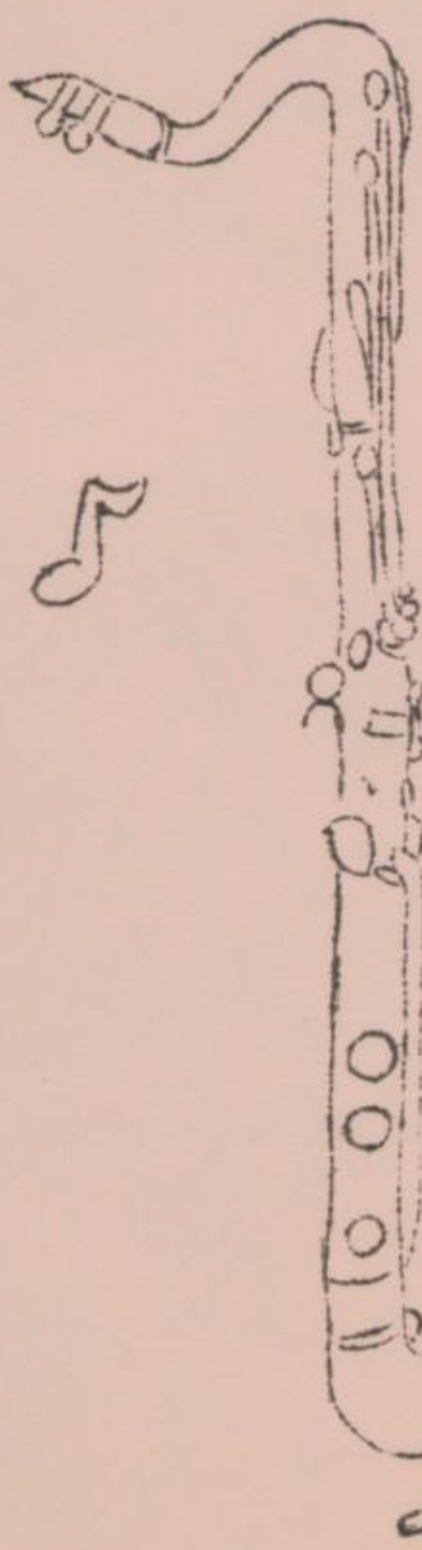
Katie and her bright ideas!

One down and two to go!









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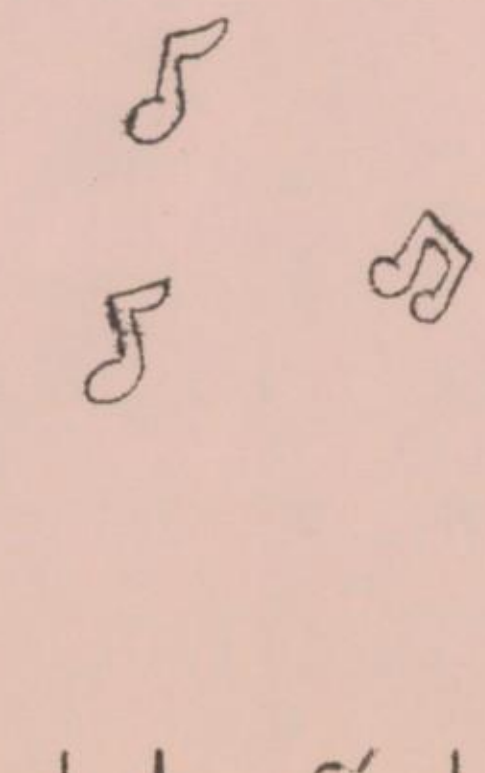

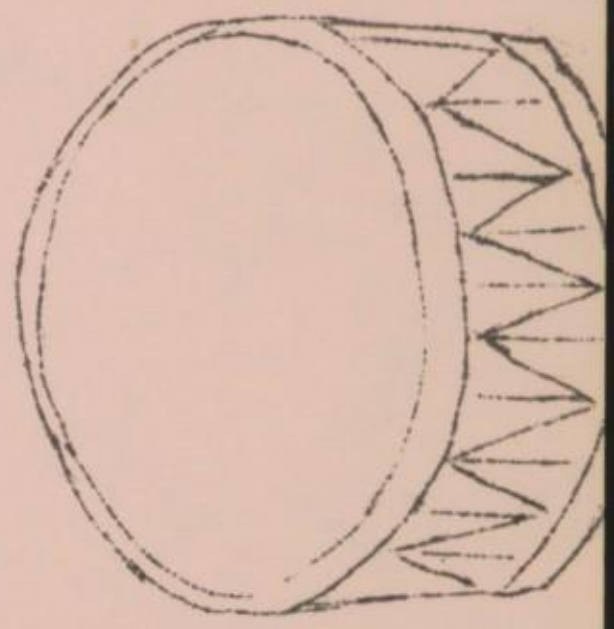

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## MUSIC DEPARTMENT

We have been very happy this year in having Miss Edna Grimm as our new director. Under her guidance several new members have been added to the band, and it has progressed nicely. A junior band was formed to train and prepare younger students for the high school band. Several high and grade school girls have participated in girls' chorus, and the eighth grade boys made up the grade boys' chorus.

The music department has completed a very busy and successful year. The band has played at all home basketball games. Several participated in the Midland Trail Tournament band held at Louisville on January 29. The entire band attended the Midland Trail Band Festival at Noble on March 22. The Lawrence County Music Festival, held at Lawrenceville April 27, was attended by both the band and chorus. Our annual spring concert was held on Sunday afternoon, April 11, in the gym.

The music department made a fine showing in the Junior High district contest held at Olney March 27, and at the grade school contest at Fairfield April 2.

These ratings were received at the Junior contest:

Cornet Quartet I
Patty Heath
Linda Young
Donna Fortney
Gary Everette

Clarinet Quartet III
Mary Atkins
Susan English
Linda Miller
Linda Brian

Clarinet Duet IIII
Mary Atkins
Susan English

The following ratings were received at grade school contest:

Solos

Susan English, Clarinet I
Mary Atkins, Clarinet I
Ruth Gibson, Bass Clarinet I
Linda Young, Cornet I
Patty Heath, Cornet I
Donna Stout, Saxophone I
Freddie St. Laurent, Sax. I
Pat McVicker, Saxophone I
Sue Moan, Flute II
Elaine Stoltz, Flute II

Cornet Quartet
Patty Heath
Linda Young
Donna Fortney
Gary Everette

The Junior High ratings at the state finals were:

Cornet Quartet I

The grade school state finals were:

Mary Atkins I
Susan English I
Linda Young I
Donna Stout I
Ruth Gibson II
Patty Heath II
Cornet Quartet II

Left----Mary Atkins, Susan English

Right---Patty Heath, Linda Young, Donna Fortney, Gary Everette

Middle-Back row left to right
Mary Atkins, Shirley Moore, Linda Miller, Linda Brian, Susan English, Russell Atkins, Terry Poole, Marilyn Newell, Gilbert Deimel, Nancy Ray Miller

Second row-Katie Beasley, Nancy Young, Patty Zehner, Elaine Stoltz

First row-Donna Moan, JoAnn Fortney, Karen Stout, Patty Heath, Linda Young, Donna Fortney, Betty Miller, Gary Everette, Dan McVickar, Linda Fritchley, Ann White

Standing-Philip Clark, Myra Jones, Phyllis Lathrop, John Foster, Freddie St. Laurent, Donna Stout, Ruth Gibson, Don Ernst, Larry Vowells, Donna Jones, Phyllis Knoblett, Miss Grimm

Left---Pat McVickar, Patty Heath, Ruth Gibson, Donna Stout,
5 Freddie St. Laurent, Linda Young, Elaine Stoltz, Mary Atkins, Linda Miller, Susan English

Right-Linda Brian, Linda Miller, Mary Atkins, Susan English

## Girls' Chorus

Top Row----Linda Young; Shirley Fisher; Betty Westall Betty Brian, Marilyn Newell, Betty Miller, Susan English, Mary Atkins, Ann White, Myra Jones.

Middle Row-Miss Grimm, Linda Miller, Velda Pittman, Linda Bridgett, Phyllis Piper, Shirley Moore, Linda Fritchley, JoAnn Fortney, Donna Moan.

Front Row--Donna Fortney, Thelma Hayes, Donna Stout, Phyllis Knoblett, Katie Beasley, Phyllis Lathrop, Donna Jones, Barbara Richardson.

## Junior Band

Top Row----Karen Lois Miller, John Foster, Bob Miller, Larry Miller, George McDonald, Mary Martin, Jerry Hutchinson, Randy Gray.

Front Row--Carmen Laughlin, Kenny Gentry, Johnie Barnett, Bobby Renold, Ancil Roark, David Paddock, Freddie Laws, Mervin Perrott, Theodore Stoltz, Bobby Lancaster.

## Boys' Chorus

Top Row----Jim Hill, Willis Prout, Jim Bonewitz, Donald Piper, Keith Routein, Larry Miller.

Front Row--John Foster, Tommy Adams, Larry Berry, Jerry Atkins, Freddie St. Laurent, Gary Everette, Pat McVickar.

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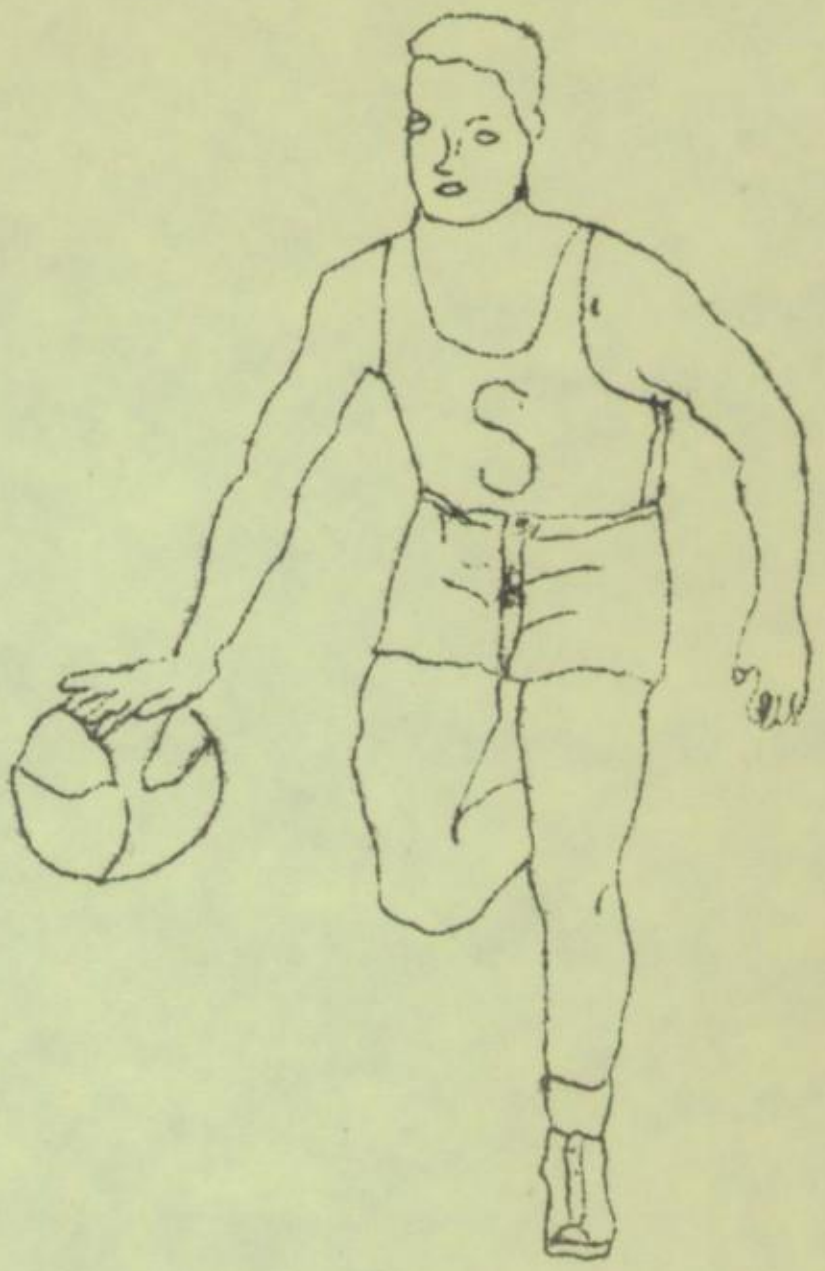
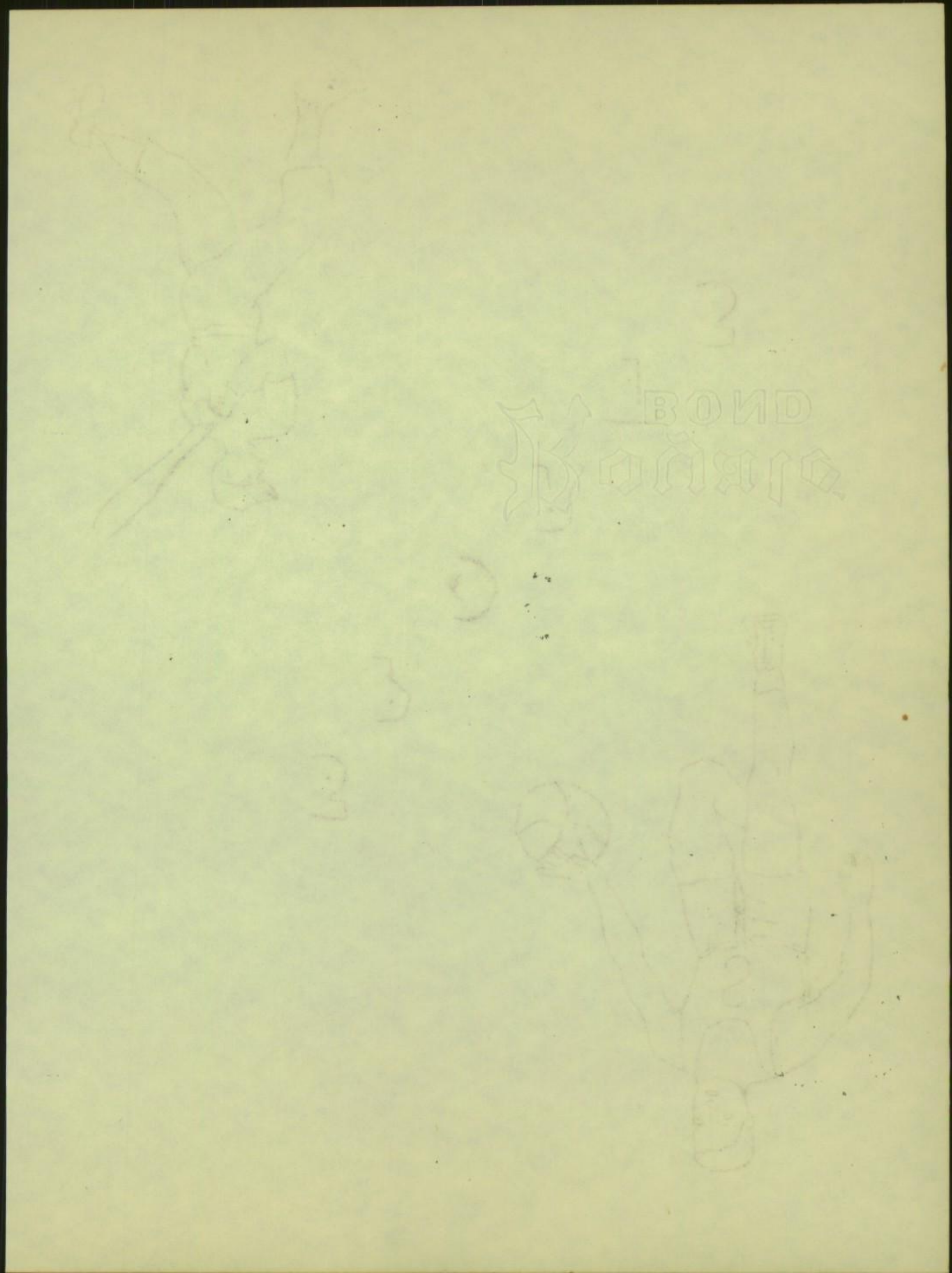




Sumner Vs. Cisne

Sumner opened their baseball season by traveling to Cisne. Going into the last half of the sixth inning, Sumner led two to nothing, one run coming on Perrott's first inning homer, then Cisne pushed across seven runs to win the game. Fisher pitched all the way for Sumner.

Sumner Vs. Noble

Sumner's first home game also resulted in a loss. The Arabs scored first when Fisher singled and Perrott tripled to score him in the first inning. The vistors tied the score in the second inning, took the lead in the third, and won five to two. Fisher pitched for Sumner.

Sumner Vs. Clay City

Sumner traveled to Clay City and was blanked eight to nothing. Clay City jumped off to a two run lead in the first inning and went on to an easy win. Fisher again pitched for Sumner.

Sumner Vs. Noble

Sumner went to Noble and was beaten eleven to one. Noble scored three runs in the second inning, three in the fourth, and four more runs in the fifth. Sharrett pitched for Sumner.

Sumner Vs. Clay City

Sumner won their only game of the year when Fiscus singled in the last half of the seventh inning with bases loaded to snap a two to two tie. Fisher pitched and won the game.

Sumner Vs. Cisne

In the last game of the season, Sumner lost to Cisne two to one in a pitchers duel. Fisher pitched for Sumner and struck out twelve opposing batters.

## Baseball Team

4th Row--Jim Fisher, Donnie Scott, Jay Taylor.

3rd Row--Coach Griesemer, Gordon Mills, Duane Scott, Ronnie Stolhans, Kenneth Jones, Johm Grove.

2nd Row--Leo Deimel, Robert Jones, Tom Sharrett, Terry Poole, Bernard Goodwin.

1st Row--Charles Fiscus, Tom Perrott, Bob Pinkstaff, Don Scaggs.

## 2nd Team Cheerleaders

Betty Miller, Romell Houser, Mary Shank, Bernice Piper

## Pep Club

6th Row--Duane Scott, Larry Miller, Keith Routein, Frank Bartram, Kenneth Jones, Ivan Ulrick, Gordon Mills, Ronnie Stolhans, David Pool, Jim Miller, Jay Taylor, Mike Westall, Lloyd Bennett, Bob Lancaster.

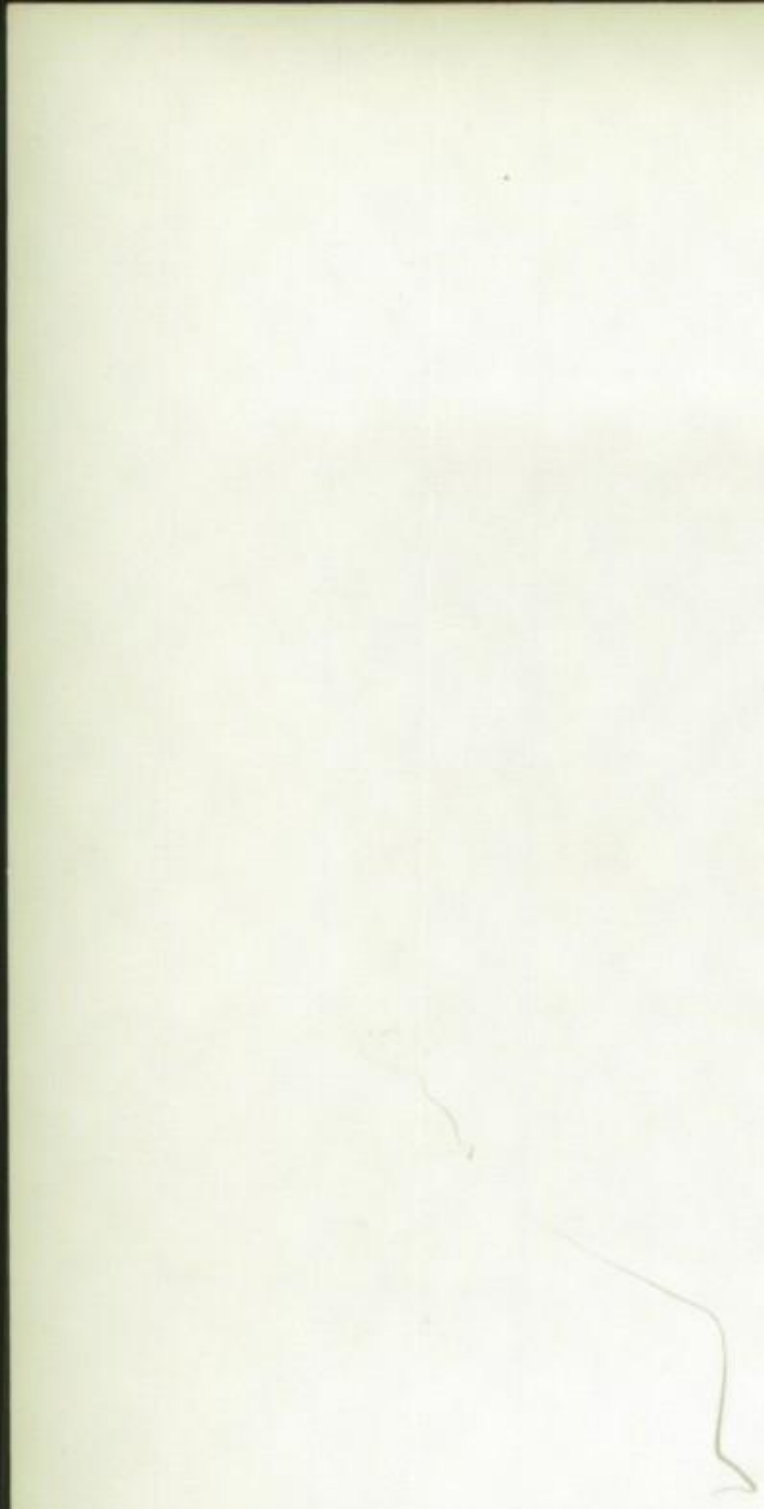
5th Row--Leo Deimel, Larry Stoltz, Bernard Goodwin, James Van Guilder, Bill Stoltz, Jack Bonewitz, Marilyn Newell, Velda Pittman, Iris Vowell, Dorothy Joseph, Phyllis Piper.

4th Row--Phyllis Lathrop, Phyllis Knoblett, Tom Sharrett, Freddie St. Laurent, Gaylord Bates, Donnie Scott, Robert Jones, Charles Fiscus, Virginia Leslie, Faith Brewer, Linda Miller, Kay Houser, Naomi Griffin, Shirley Fisher.

3rd Row--Linda Fritchley, Freda Ulrick, Vivian Winters, Myra Jones, Patty Zehner, Donna Fortney, Ruth Gibson, Elaine Stoltz, Mary Atkins, Ilena Martin, Ethel Grove.

2nd Row--Norma Laws, Virginia Gibson, Shirley Moore, Donna Moan, Georgia Schultz, Donna Jones, Ann White, Barbara Richardson, Donna Stout, Susan English, Beverly Allen.

1st Row--Katie Beasley, Bernice Piper, Mary Atkins, Betty Miller, Romell Houser, Joan Clark, Janet Piper, Karen Stout, Nancy Ray Miller.



| Player | G. | AB. | H. | R. | BB. | BH. | BA. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fisher | 6 | 22 | 8 | 4 | 1 | 1 | .364 |
| Pinkstaff | 6 | 15. | 3 | 0 | 5 | . | .200 |
| Mills | 5 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | .200 |
| Fiscus | 5 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | .182 |
| Perrott | 6 | 17 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | .176 |
| Scaggs | 6 | 18 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | .111 |
| Goodwin | 6 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 1 | .090 |
| Sharrett | 6 | 16 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | .062 |
| Poole | 6 | 14 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | .000 |
| Scott | 6 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 |
| Jones | 4 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 |
| Deimel | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 |
| Taylor | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 |

Varsity Team

Top Row----Wayne Brian, Charles Fiscus, Tom Sharrett, James Vangilder, Ivan Ulrich, Kenneth Jones, Bernard Goodwin.

Bottom Row-Coach Griesemer, Jim Fisher, Don Scaggs, Frank Bartram, Terry Poole, Tom Perrott, Bob Pinkstaff, and John Groves (Manager).

Varsity Choorleaders

Joan Clark, Karen Stout, Janet Piper, and Nancy Miller.

Second Team

Top Row----Coach Griesemer, Charles Fiscus, David Pool, Duane Scott, Ronnie Stollhans, Charles Fiscus, Wayne Brian.

Bottom Row-John Groves(Manager), Russell Atkins, Ivan Ulrich, Jay Taylor, and Robert Jones.

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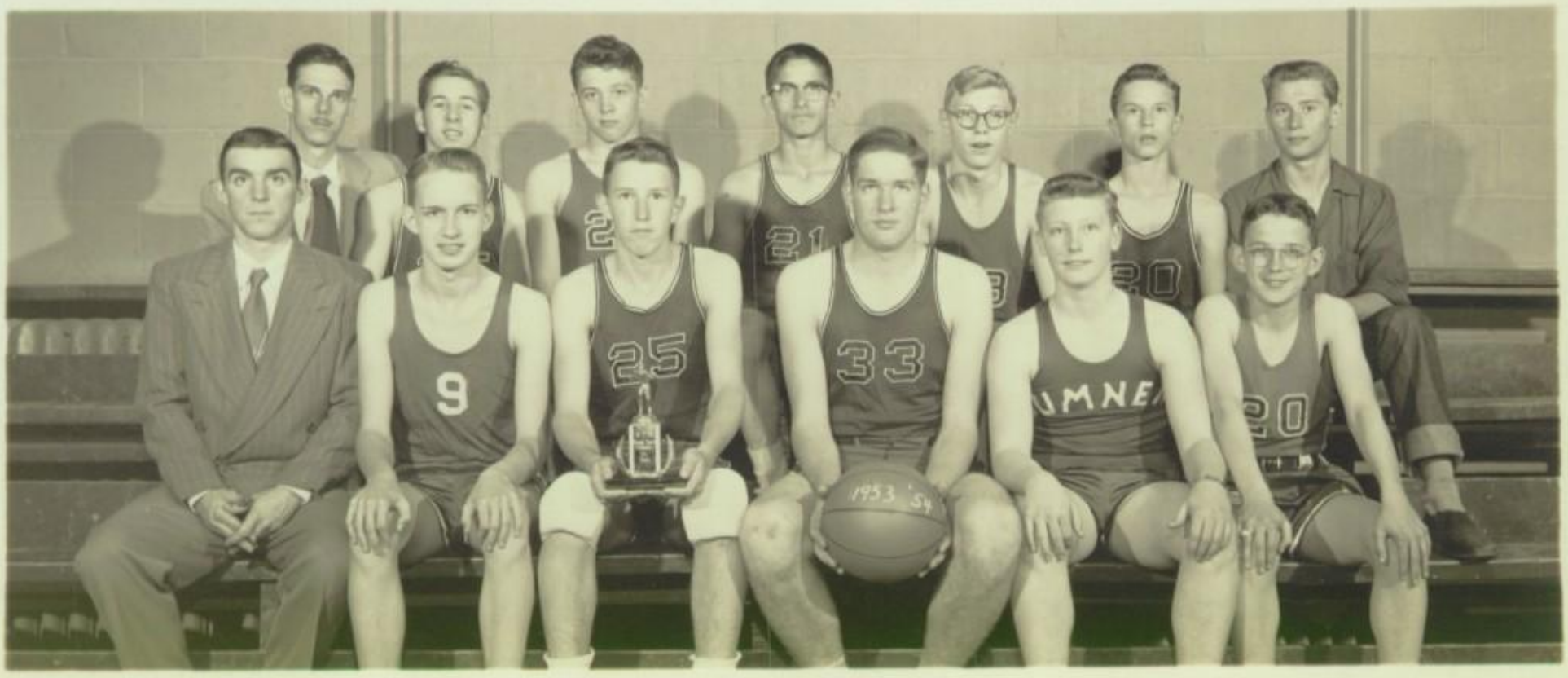
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First Team

| Player | G. | FG. | FT. | TP. | Av. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Fisher | 23 | 127 | 64 | 318 | 13.4 |
| Poole | 24 | 103 | 98 | 304 | 12.7 |
| Scaggs | 24 | 104 | 78 | 286 | 11.9 |
| Perrott | 22 | 98 | 70 | 266 | 12.1 |
| Bartram | 23 | 56 | 42 | 154 | 6.7 |
| Pinkstaff | 23 | 41 | 30 | 112 | 4.9 |
| Jones | 8 | 5 | 4 | 14 | 1.8 |
| Fiscus, B | 5 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 1. |
| Fiscus, C | 1 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 3. |
| Goodwin | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ulrich | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Scott | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Second Team Players in Ten or More Games

| Player | G. | FG. | FT. | TP. | A. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ulrich | 22 | 79 | 55 | 213 | 9.7 |
| Jones, K | 18 | 75 | 38 | 188 | 10.5 |
| Fiscus, B | 22 | 67 | 33 | 167 | 7.6 |
| Bartram | 10 | 58 | 13 | 129 | 12.9 |
| Fiscus, C | 21 | 31 | 27 | 89 | 4.2 |
| Scott | 19 | 21 | 8 | 50 | 2.6 |
| Stollhans | 18 | 15 | 14 | 44 | 2.5 |
| Goodwin | 19 | 14 | 13 | 41 | 2.2 |
| Pool | 17 | 5 | 12 | 22 | 1.3 |
| Sharrett | 13 | 3 | 2 | 8 | .6 |
| Van Gilder | 12 | 2 | 2 | 6 | .5 |

Sumner 52----------St. Fran. 58

*Sumner 58----------Allendale 53

*Sumner 60----------Cisne 58

*Sumner 58----------Farina 50

*Sumner 71----------Albion 68

*Sumner 62----------Noble 59

*Sumner 51----------Cisne 47 (Overtime)

Sumner 57----------Hutsonville 78

Sumner 55----------Clay City 65

Sumner 62----------Louisville 77

Sumner 43----------Palestine 69

Sumner 68----------Kinmundy 71

Sumner 60----------Noble 68

*Sumner 66----------Oblong 52

Wabash Valley Tourney

Sumner 59----------Martinsville 66

Midland Trail Tourney

Sumner 50----------Kinmundy 61

Sumner 61----------Louisville 77

*Sumner 65----------St. Fran. 61

Sumner 74----------Kinmundy 86

Sumner 66----------Clay City 70

*Sumner 58----------Allendale 51

Sumner 81----------Louisville 85

Sumner 55----------Farina 61

District Tournament

Sumner 70----------Allendale 74

| Record | Wins | Losses |
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Grade School First Team

Top Row----Coach Griesemer, Donald Piper, Eldon Mitchell, Keith Routein, Larry Miller, Jack Bonewitz, Freddie St. Laurent.

Bottom Row-Jon Foster(Manager), Gaylord Bates, Royal Unzicker, Bob Miller, Willis Prout, Robert Lancaster(Manager)

Grade School Cheerleaders

Linda Young, Patty Heath, Donna Stout, and Sharon Brasel.

Grade School Second Team

Top Row----Freddie Laws, Larry Berry, George McDonald, Gary Everette, Jerry Hutchinson, Pat McVickar.

Bottom Row-Johnny Barnett, Eddie Moan, Kenny Gentry, Vernon Griesemer, Larry Hanratty, Jerry Atkins, Gerald Houser.

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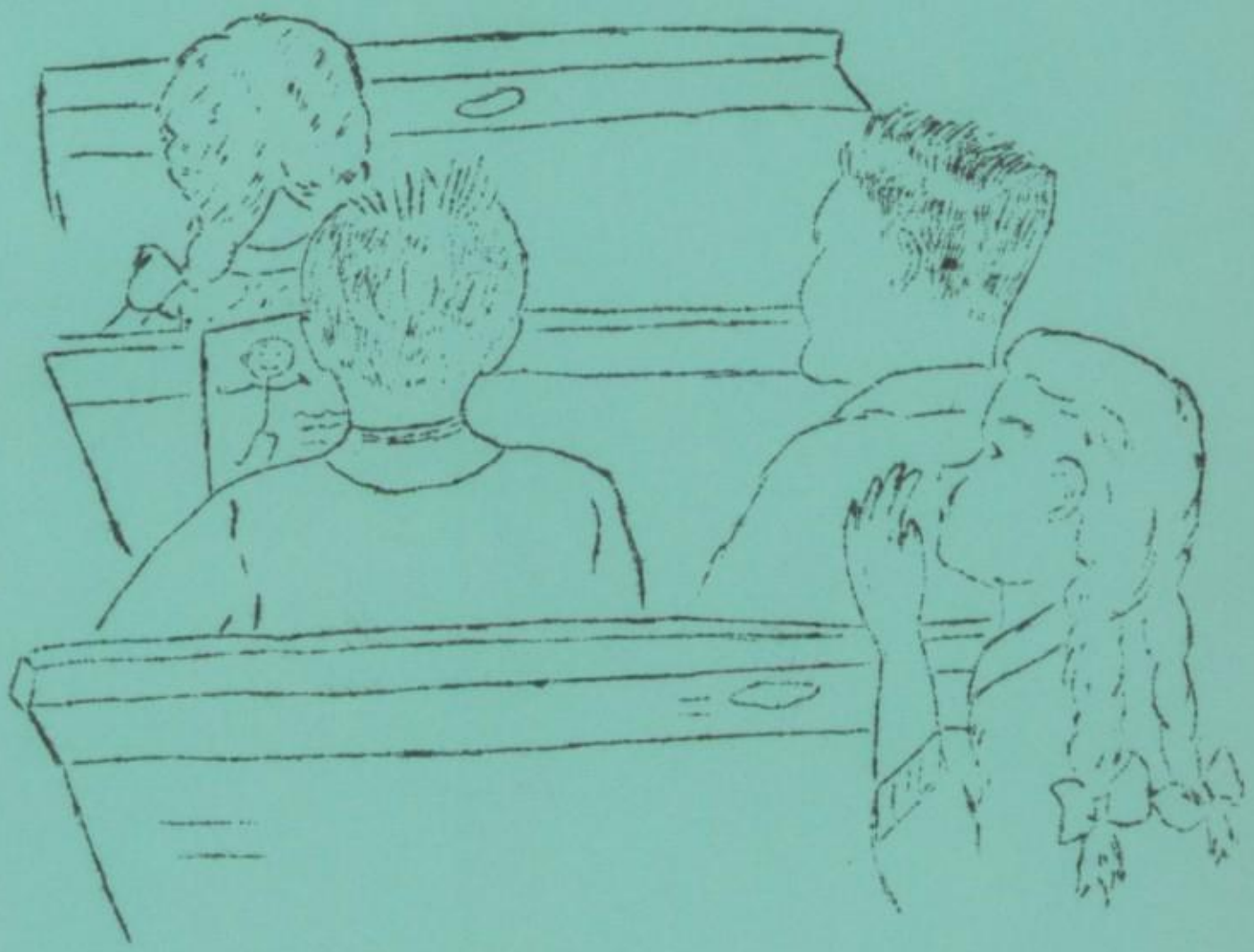

# GRADE SCHOOL

## First Grade

Top Row----Marvin Fiscus, Tommy Weas, Randy Terrell, Johnn
Gentry, Robert Ulrich, Robert Hobbs, Jerry Fisc
Jackie Atkins, Dennis Pool, Gerald Cullison, Re
Moan.

Middle Row-Charles McElyea, Frances Pepple, Carolyn Sivert
Mary Jo Pizza, Beverly Earnst, Sandra Brian,
Linda Woodburn, Rebecca Scott, Karen Zehner.

Front Row--Mrs. Herman, Brenda Young, Donna Doane, Sandra
Martin, Jane Deimel, Jean Deimel, Martha Shute,
Bernice Allen, Diane Forsythe, Nancy Miller,
Sandra Hodge.

## Second Grade

Top Row----Roy Lancaster, Tonia Adams, Jenneth Satterthwai
Benny Myers, Harold Shroyer, Daniel Henry, Darr
Thacker, John Hess.

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Front Row--Connieta Hughes, Patricia Leffler, Lynda Rodri
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Front Row--Sandra Gibson, Lee Juana Fiscus, Frances Goff, Martha Miller, Janice Pool, Susan Foster, Leona Brian.

## Fifth Grade

Top Row----Andy Hampton, Eddie Moan, Richard Stevenson, Philip Bennett, Bobby Vowells, Freddie Ferguson David Wood, John Barnett.

Middle Row-Freddie Laws, Gary Lancaster, Keith Hamilton, Gerald Houser, Ancil Roark, Kenneth Gentry, Jerry Hutchinson.

Front Row--Miss Hoing, Mary Martin, Donna Stoltz, Barbara Wright, Kay Myers, Barbara Fritchley, Barbara Slover, Donna Grooms, Martha Martin.

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Top Row----Pat McVickar, Tom Adams, Gary Everette, Larry Hanratty, Jerry Atkins, Bucky Inyart.

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Front Row--Miss Wilbur, Ethel Hampton, Jenny Piper, Sharon Brasel, Sara Unzicker, Carolyn Bennett.

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Top Row----Robert Lancaster, Gaylord Bates, Jimmy Hodge, Billy Stoltz, Jack Bonewitz, Randall Gray, Bobby Miller, Ernest Whitfield, Steven Gibson.

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Front Row--Wanda Laughlin, Joyce Wood, Shanny Dorney, Helen McDonald, Margie Roberts, Donna Stout, Virginia Leslie, Elaine Stoltz.

Eighth Grade

Top Row----Lonnie Thomas, Daughn Ernst, Keith Routein, Larry Miller, Royal Unsicker, Freddie St. Laurent, Bob Miller, Billy Inyart, John Foster.

Middle Row-Willis Prout, Donald Piper, Vivian Slover, Barbara Allen, Beverly Allen, Eldon Mitchell, James Bonewitz, Jimmy Hill.

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Marilyn Blood----------Sumner, Ill.
Bette Jones----------Sumner, Ill.
Paul Hannel----------Galesburg, Ill.
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Evelyn Lancaster----------Wordsworth, Ill.
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Waymond Mitchell----------Sumner, Ill.
Herman Moore----------Marines
Carolyn Palmer----------Sumner, Ill.
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Jerry Poole----------Charleston, Ill.
Myrna Scott----------Sumner, Ill.
Betty Shank----------Vincennes, Ind.
Flodene Stanley----------Sumner, Ill.
Mary Kay Thomson----------Chicago, Ill.
Alice Vogel----------Sumner, Ill.
Richard Vowells----------South Dakota
Frank Weiss----------Sumner, Ill.
Johnnie Weiss----------Charleston, Ill.

## Class of 1952

Betty (Pinkstaff) Boren----------Sumner, Ill.
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Mary Burbank----------Olney, Ill.
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Betty (Perrott) Driskell----------Sumner, Ill.
Audrey (Gibson) Dobbs----------Peoria, Ill.
Hubert Dobbs----------Lawrenceville, Ill.
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Howard Ledeker----------Navy
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Harold Provines----------Air Force
Robert Sager----------Army
Virgil Schultz----------Army
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## Class of 1951

Kenneth Brunner----------Champaign, Ill.
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Dick Legler----------Navy
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Lowell Ulrich----------Navy
Bob Utsler----------Vincennes, Ind.
Kenneth Vowells----------Marines
Clyde West----------Navy
Kathryn (Mitchell) West----------
Kenneth Westall----------Charleston, Ill.
Jerry Wheeler----------Army

## Class of 1950

Meredith Atkins----------Sumner, Ill.
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Lee Berry----------Sumner, Ill.
Marlene (Griggs) Berry----------Newton, Ill.
Martha (Milburn) Brian----------Sumner, Ill.
Bertha Brown----------Sumner, Ill.
Lucille (French) Brown----------Sumner, Ill.
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Ella (Hampton) Cooper----------Bridgeport, Ill.
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Peggy (Weiss) Doyle----------Kankakee, Ill.
George Eaton----------Army
Margorie Gubleman----------Sumner, Ill.
Thelma (Knoblett)----------
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Charles Malone----------Army
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Jack Piper----------Army
William Piper----------Peoria, Ill.
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Millie (Palmer) Thompson----------Allendale, Ill.
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Jean (Perrott) Waldrop----------Vincennes, Ind.
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## Class of 1948

Wanda Hasler----------Vincennes, Ind.
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## Class of 1949

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Joe Brian----------Sumner, Ill.
Charles Cook----------Peoria, Ill.
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Georgia Eaton----------Hammond, Ind.
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Glenna (Jones) McVay----------Calhoun, Ill.
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Bob Perrott----------Lancaster, Ill.
Richard Pettyjohn----------Lawrenceville, Ill.
Helen Pinkstaff----------Libertyville, Ill.
Kathryn Piper----------Mattoon, Ill.
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Leroy Sager----------Sumner, Ill.
Jeanne (McDowell) Smith----------Olney, Ill.
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## Class of 1947

Viola (Knepper) Bennett----------Lawrenceville, Ill.
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## Class of 1946

Joe Armitage----------Evansville, Ind.
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Paul Byers----------Louisville, Ill.
Marion Jean (Piper) Engledow----------Charleston, West Va.
Eleanor (Legg) Forsythe----------Sumner, Ill.
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Wendell Poland----------Brighton, Col.
June (Hasler) Schultz----------Sumner, Ill.
Wilma (Nehring) Sutherlin----------Olney, Ill.
Florence (Malone) Unfleet----------Sumner, Ill.
Georgia (Sidwell) Vace----------Ft. Wayne, Ind.
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## Class of 1945

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Eleanor (Jones) Henry----------Hollywood, Calif.
Merle Hoken----------Sumner, Ill.
Lucille (Fiscus) Lukens----------Greenville, Ill.
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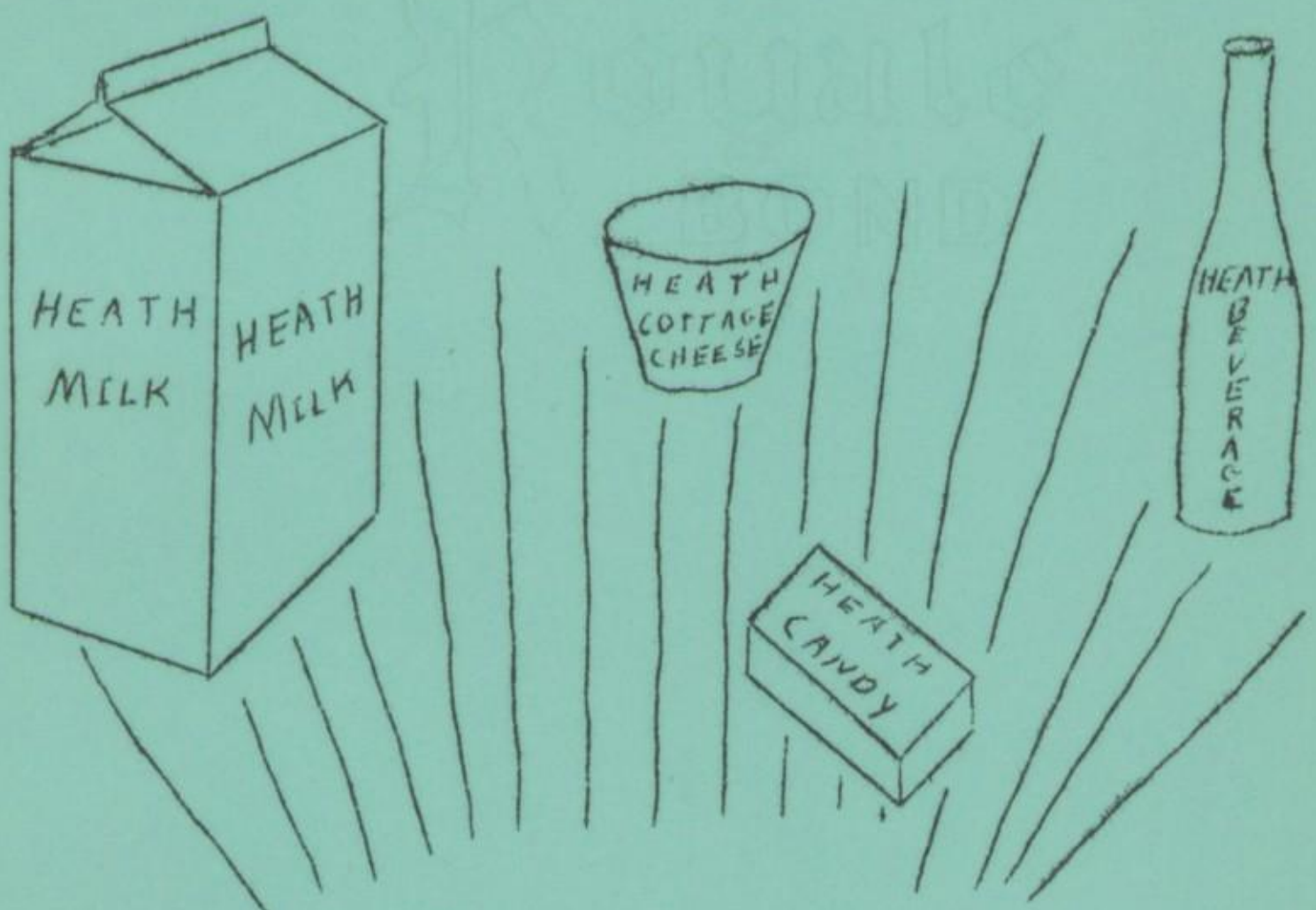


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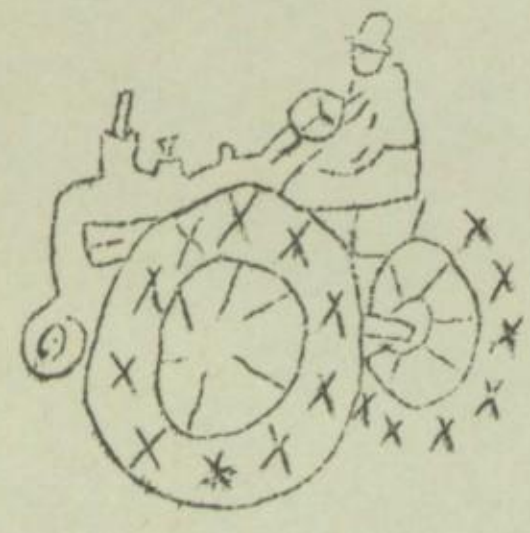

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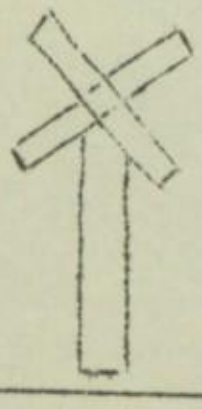

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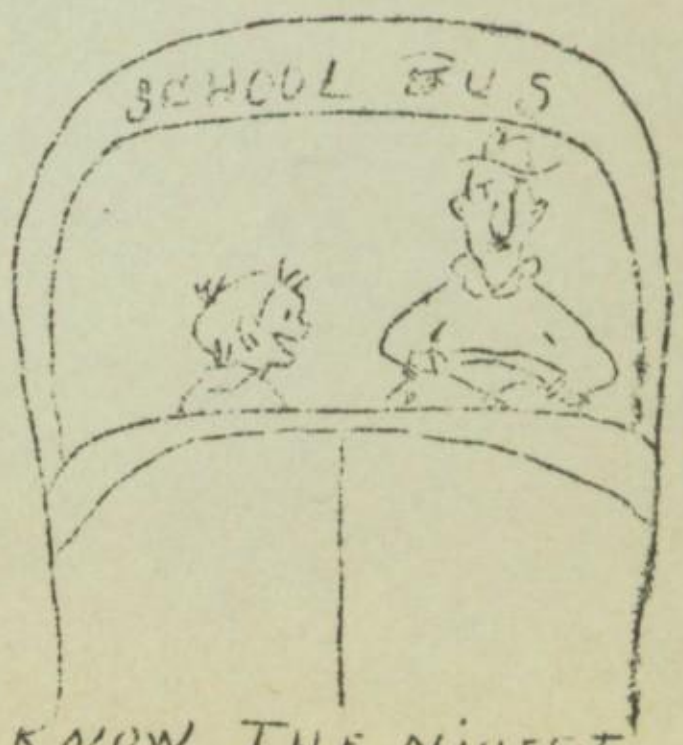


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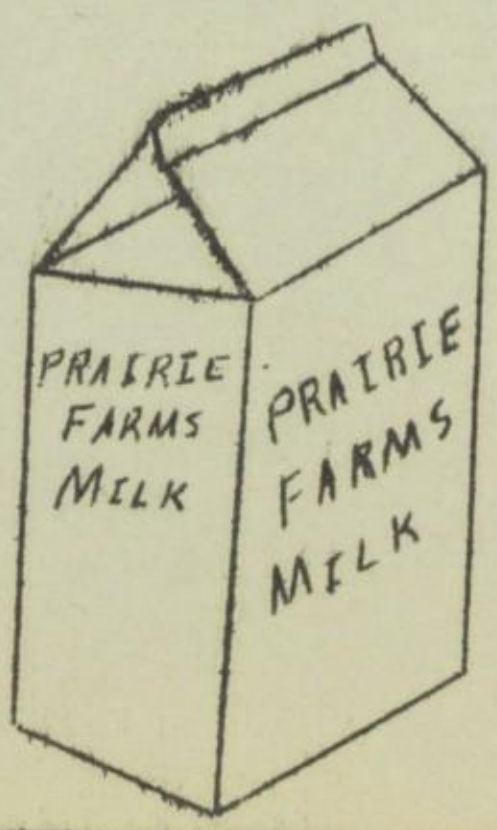


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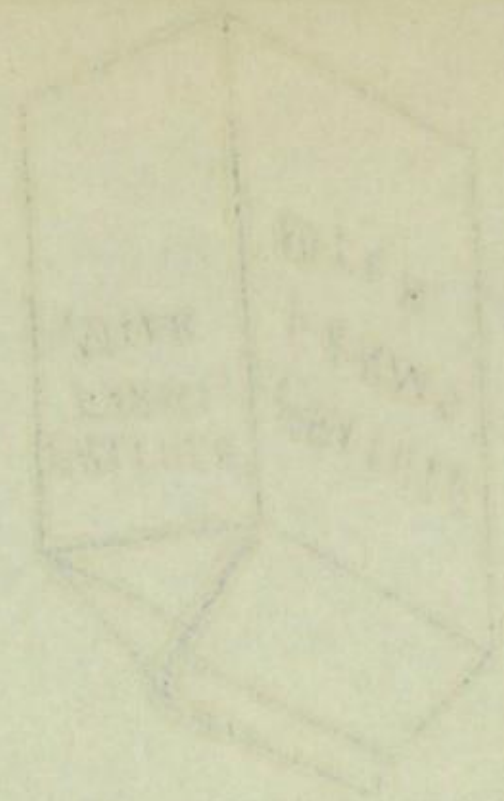

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